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ALLIES ARE REDOUBLING EFFORTS TO CHECK GERMAN ADVANCE ON PARIS
RESIDENTS OF PARIS WITHIN ZONE OF FORTS ORDERED TO EVACUATE

Significant Order Issued by Military Governor of French Capital That All Houses Within Zone of Action of the Defending Forts Must be Hazed in the Next Four Days.

GERMAN FORCES ADVANCING TOWARD LA FERRE

England and France Rush Every Available Man and Gun to The Front in Effort to Check Steady Advance of Invading Germans—Germany Sends More Troops to Face Russia.

Most significant news is the official announcement by the French war office that the military governor of Paris has ordered all residents within the zone of action of the forts around the city, to evacuate and raze their houses within four days.

Another significant official announcement from Paris is that the German forces are advancing in the direction of Laferre, about 80 miles northeast of Paris. The right of the troops operating in this region has driven back the Germans on the town of Guise but the left wing was unable to hold the advance of the German troops.

Both French and the British are calling on all their men to join in the defense of the French line which apparently are dropping back gradually. A campaign has been started in London and other English centers to induce all Englishmen of proper age to join the colors.

Field Marshal Lord Roberts, in a stirring address, declared that the country was in great danger and defeat would mean ruin, shame and slavery.

British cruisers and destroyers which were in the engagement off Helgoland have arrived at various English ports and some members of the crew assert that at least eleven German vessels of various sizes were sunk.

A German army corps which has been engaged along the line of the Neuse has been withdrawn and has proceeded to the Northeast, presumably to reinforce troops to check the advance of the Russian army through East Russia.

An Athens dispatch gives as a semi-official statement news from a "trustworthy source in Constantinople" that German officers and sailors have passed through Bulgaria on their way to Constantinople. There has been some question as to the attitude Turkey intends to assume in the present war, some previous reports declaring Turkey had a strong leaning toward Germany.

MEAN AND GUNS TO FRONT.

France and England Exert Every Effort to Check Germans.

London, Aug. 29.—The French and British are gathering every man and gun available into Northwestern France in an attempt to stop the German advance on the road to Paris.

It also is said General Joffre, commander-in-chief of the French army, will endeavor to strike at the German right and being relief to British and French forces which have been placed in a critical situation by the German outflanking movement.

How far the allies have succeeded in getting across the German path is not disclosed, for the outside world is ignorant tonight of what is happening on the battlefield.

A report comes both from Antwerp and Copenhagen that the Germans have commenced a movement back from the West to meet the Russians' advance through East Prussia. But it is hardly likely they will make any great demands on the Western army until the big battle in which there seems to have been a lull has been definitely decided.

British Not Surrounded.

Field Marshal Sir John French, the British commander, whose army has been hard pressed, was in communication with the British war office late today, which disproved the German official report that the British had been encircled by the Germans.

Today's reports from the German

OVER TWO HUNDRED MILE BATTLE LINE

Russian Troops Advance in East Prussia.

ACCORDING TO REPORTS

Russian Military Attache Gives Out Statement in New York Concerning Results and Conditions Along the Front.

New York, Aug. 29.—Col. Nikolai Golejewski, military attache at the Russian embassy at Washington, made public here tonight cable messages from the Russian foreign office in St. Petersburg regarding Russian war operations. The messages were as follows:

"The Russian troops are approaching the fortresses of Koenigsburg, driving in the advance posts of the garrison. Reports have come into headquarters that the Russian troops have taken possession of the bridges on the river Alle.

"On the Galician border a battle near Tomashoff and Montyska has been successfully fought. Further to the eastward our troops are energetically closing in on Lemberg, of which town our advance troops already are in reach. Our cavalry is actively clearing up the country in front of the advance of our columns.

"On August 25th our cavalry, having overtaken an Austrian cavalry division west of Tarnopol, forced the latter to fight, dispersed it, and took a battery of horse artillery.

"On the Eastern Prussian front on August 25th, 26th and 27th a battle was continued near Saltau-Altenstein-Bischofsburg, where the enemy has concentrated the army corps which retreated from Gumbinnen, reinforced by fresh troops.

Allesteins Taken.

"Allesteins has been taken by our troops. The Germans suffered especially heavy losses in Muehlen, between Austrode and Medenburg, where they are in full retreat. Near Petrovsk they are trying to make a stand.

"In Galicia, on August 26th, a series of such engagements assumed the character of a great battle which was developing in the southern districts of the provinces of Lublin and Holm, and in Eastern Galicia, on the road to Lemberg over a general front of 300 miles.

"At first the battle had the character of a Bataille du Recontre, but later many parts of the Austrian line were forced to take a defensive position. One of our line regiments, in a hand-to-hand fight, took the colors of, and almost completely annihilated the 11th Genedved (Hungarian) regiment. An energetic advance is being continued."

EXCHANGE MILITARY HONORS.

German and Austrian Emperors Exchange Crosses. Each Other.

London, Aug. 29.—According to Berlin official dispatches received by Marconi wireless, the Austrian Emperor, in a telegram to the Emperor of Germany, congratulated him on his victory.

"The splendid victories gained by the German army under your command over your powerful enemies are due to your own will. You have sharpened and swung the mighty sword. To the laurels which adorn you as a victor, I should like to add the highest military honor which it is in my power to confer, by asking you to accept the Grand Cross of Maria Theresa."

"Knowing how highly you and your army value the achievements of King Von Moitte, I bestow upon him the commander's cross of the Maria Theresa Order."

The German Emperor has bestowed on the Austrian Emperor the order "Four Lemmerle," and upon Gen. Baron Conrad Hotzendorf the Iron Cross of the First and Second Class.

Leaders of the German army protest against the news circulated abroad regarding cruelty practiced in the field, says another Berlin official dispatch, which adds:

"The German troops are occasionally obliged to adopt severe measures when provoked by treacherous attacks by the civil population and traitors committed against their wounded. Responsibility for the rigors of our warfare lies solely with the authorities of the occupied territories who have distributed arms among the civilians and incited them to take part in the war. Whenever the population was not hostile towards our troops harm is not done either to property or persons. The German soldier is neither an incendiary nor a pillager and fights only against a hostile army."

Tuesday is the day of the Combination Auction Realty Sale. Commences 10:00 A. M. (advertisement.)

CONGRESS PASSES WAR RISK MEASURE

Bill Now Goes to Wilson for His Signature.

BEFORE BECOMING LAW

First Time in History That American Has Established a Federal Marine Insurance—Is of a Supplementary Nature.

Washington, Aug. 29.—The administration bill to create a Federal bureau of war risk marine insurance with a \$5,000,000 fund to meet possible losses to American shipping was passed today in the House by a vote of 230 to 55. Already passed by the Senate, it now goes to President Wilson.

The House made two amendments to the measure as it passed the Senate. One limits the operation of the government war risk insurance bureau to two years, the President having power to suspend it at any time within that period. The other reduced the salary of the chief of the bureau from \$5,000 a year to \$3,000. The Senate is expected to concur in these amendments and the bill probably will be ready for the President's signature when he returns here next week from Cornish, N. H.

The bill establishes for the first time in American history a Federal marine insurance, though it is restricted to risks of war and especially applicable to the European emergency. It insures American vessels, their freight and passenger-money and cargoes, "whenever it shall appear to the Secretary of the Treasury that American vessels, shippers or importers in American vessels are unable in any trade to secure adequate war risk insurance on reasonable terms."

It is intended as supplementary to war risk insurance furnished by private concerns who claim they have not enough capital to give complete war risk insurance.

Representative Mann, minority leader, took exception during the debate to the charge made by Representative Underwood yesterday that the Republicans were "un-American" in their opposition to the bill. He declared the majority leader had resorted to "nonsense and silliness" in making the statement. He said that the bill was "mere claptrap."

THANKS TO GERARD.

British Government Sends Official Message to Washington.

Washington, Aug. 29.—The British ambassador Sir Cecil Spring-Rice today conveyed to Secretary Bryan the thanks of the British government to American Ambassador Gerard at Berlin for assisting Sir Edward Goschen and the British embassy staff at Berlin at the time of the rupture between Germany and England.

The message refers to the great assistance of a personal nature rendered by the British embassy by the United States ambassador and his staff. It says Mr. Gerard repeatedly visited the embassy of his own accord undeterred by the most arduous of the crowd, and often at considerable personal risk, extricated many British subjects from difficult situations. It adds:

"It is a pleasure for me to inform you that I have received Sir Edward Grey's instructions to request that the warm thanks of His Majesty's government may be conveyed to Mr. Gerard for his great personal devotion and energy under these trying circumstances and I beg you to be so good as to cause this appreciation of his kindly action to be conveyed to Mr. Gerard."

TWO ARMIES IN AMERICA.

Over One Million and a Half Citizens of Warring Nations Here.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Approximately 1,600,000 unaturalized male foreigners more than 21 years of age, natives of warring European nations, are in the United States, according to latest census bureau reports.

Most of those undoubtedly are liable to military duty and many have gone forward to join the armies. Including women and children, there were 9,865,479 foreign born in the United States who came from nations at war. That is about one-tenth of the entire population of the United States.

The nations of the Triple Entente and Belgium could call on 792,065 of their countrymen in the United States for military duty, while Germany and Austria-Hungary could call 650,965. These unaturalized foreigners were divided: Great Britain and Ireland 197,612; Canada 150,718; Russia and Finland 415,428; France 18,605; and Belgium 8,691.

On the other side Germany had 127,103; and Austria-Hungary 225,559.

FUGITIVE TELLS OF BURNING CITY

Experiences in Louvain Are Recited in Rosendaal.

TOWN WAS BOMBARDED

Germans Claimed Citizens Fired Upon Them and Town Sacked and Burned As a Result—People Used As Shield.

Amsterdam, Aug. 29, via London.—The Rosendaal correspondent of the Handelsblad interviewed a fugitive from Louvain who gave his experience in that city.

"Monday evening" he said "gun firing suddenly resounded in the streets. I did not know its meaning, but some declared the German troops had fired upon each other. The Germans, however, insisted the shots had been fired by the inhabitants and that several soldiers had been killed.

"The fact is that throughout the night heavy field guns bombarded the town, destroying many houses. We sought shelter in a cellar and at day-break prepared for flight. We hurried to the railway station where the refugees were parted, the men being placed on one side and women and children on the other side of the station square. Near the statue of General Van De Weyer, in front of the station, we saw bodies of six burghers who had been shot.

"The town was now one flaming mass. At last, escorted by German soldiers, we walked to Campenhout, where we witnessed the shooting of seven priests in a group.

Handcuffed Like Criminals.

"Our party of 73 men, handcuffed like criminals, was locked in a church. Additional prisoners arrived at intervals. Outside the lamentations of women and children arose. Within the church an imprisoned priest gave absolution.

"When we left the building Campenhout was burning fiercely. We were told we would be freed, but must return to Louvain. Retrying to do that city, I was once more taken prisoner and driven in front of German soldiers across the country without rest of food and used with other prisoners as a cover for the troops.

"When we arrived within a short distance of the Belgian outpost, I received permission to go my own way. I arrived at Malines, proceeding on a military train to Antwerp. I am unaware of what has become of my wife and children. All my valuables were taken from me. I was told that the burgomaster and a number of prominent men of Louvain were shot. The city has been cut off from communication with the outside."

WORD FROM JAPAN.

German Ambassador Left Tokio on the Twenty-Ninth for America.

New York, Aug. 29.—The following dispatch was received by the East and West News Bureau today:

Tokio, Aug. 28.—The German ambassador left Tokio, August 28th. The Japanese government provided a special train for him. It left the Shinjimbashi station at 5:35 A. M. The minister for foreign affairs, Baron Kato, sent his private secretary, Mr. Yoshida, as an escort. On reaching Yokohama the party drove direct to the New Yokohama wharf, whence a launch took them to the Minnesota. "On account of the weather the Minnesota probably will leave port on the 30th."

The Austro-Hungarian ambassador is expected to start on the 30th on board the Manchuria, departure of which also may be postponed for one day."

DEFEND WOULD MEAN RUIN, SHAM AND SLAVERY.

London, Aug. 29.—Field Marshal Lord Roberts, addressing a meeting for the purpose of obtaining recruits for the army, declared the country was in great danger. There was no use in mincing words, he said: defeat would mean ruin, shame and slavery.

"Our soldiers are fighting bravely," said Lord Roberts, "but they are lamentably few and it is the duty of every able bodied man to see that the army is maintained at its full strength. Women must not stand in the light of their sons' and husbands' duty."

DETAILS OF GREAT NAVAL BATTLE BECOMING KNOWN

At Least Eleven German Vessels of Various Sizes Were Sunk in the Engagement Off Helgoland—British Cruisers and Destroyers Engaged in Fight Reach Port.

SHOW BATTLE SCARS IN HULL AND ABOVE DECK

Wounded From Both Sides Are Landed—One Cruiser Showed Fourteen Shell Holes Plugged With Cloth—Daring Feat of British Light Cruiser Told—Ventured in Close to German Shore.

London, August 29.—The crews of destroyers which have arrived in port say that at least eleven German vessels of various sizes were sunk in the engagement off Helgoland. Towards the end of the battle some English pinnaces, engaged in picking up Germans who were struggling in the water, were followed by the German squadron and had to retreat leaving the men to their fate.

British cruisers and destroyers, some of them showing signs of the battle in which they were engaged off Helgoland have arrived at Harwich, Chatham and Sherness. They had British and German wounded aboard. The Germans were picked up at sea after their ships went down. A number of men died before the warships reached port and were buried at sea, others died on the way to the hospitals and their bodies were taken to the naval mortuary.

Most of the wounded are suffering from head injuries caused by shell fire, but others had arms and legs shattered. White clad bearers carried most of the wounded on stretchers to the hospital but some of them were accommodated on yachts lent for Red Cross service.

No one was allowed to board the damaged vessels, but from shore it could be seen that some of them bore shell holes. One destroyer had no less than 14 such holes, plugged with cloth.

British sailors, who boarded the German cruiser Mainz after she was put out of action say the effect of the British gun fire was terrible. Masts were shot away and turrets battered in. The decks were a mass of wreckage and dead and dying sailors were lying all over the ship.

Landing of Wounded.

A Harwich message, heavily censored, describing the landing of the wounded in the Helgoland fight, says there were plenty of eye witnesses when the first batch were landed shortly before 6 o'clock this morning.

Among the dead was a lieutenant commander. The German wounded from the Mainz were roughly attired, none had a full uniform. Many had suffered frightful wounds. The Mainz quartermaster was badly wounded in the body.

Ninety German prisoners from the Mainz have been landed at Leith. Eight are officers and one is said to be the son of Admiral Von Tirpitz, German minister of the navy. Sixteen of the prisoners are suffering from wounds.

The British light cruiser Fearless took a prominent part in the battle. She approached within ten miles of the German coast and drew out the German cruisers, which attempted to surround her. At one moment she was engaged single handed against four of them. One had come within seven thousand yards when she was struck and burst into flames.

After they had found the range the German workmanship was good. The Fearless' wireless was shot away and she was hit 19 times. Afterward the Fearless stood by the disabled German although she herself was in great danger of being sunk. The arrival of the other British cruisers speedily decided the engagement.

The British casualties so far reported are one killed and twenty injured.

NEW APPLICATIONS.

Have Been Received By the American Red Cross From Europe.

Washington, Aug. 29.—New applications from Europe have caused the American Red Cross to increase the corps of doctors and nurses who will sail by chartered steamer soon for

PRINCE ALBERT IS ILL.

Landed With Other Sick From British Fleet at Port in Scotland.

Aberdeen, Scotland, Aug. 29.—The hospital ship Rutland today landed 49 sick from the British fleet. One of the invalids was Prince Albert, second son of King George, who was taken to a nursing home.

It was reported several days ago that Prince Albert was suffering from an attack of appendicitis and had been landed at a port in Scotland where it was said his condition caused no anxiety. Prince Albert was attached to the battleship Collingwood.

CONFERENCE WAS GREAT HELP

Mr. J. P. Herring, county farm demonstrator, was among those from New Hanover who attended the State Farmers' Convention in Raleigh, the past week. He also attended the previous week a conference at Raleigh of the farm demonstrators of North Carolina and a number of the specialists of the State Department of Agriculture and the A. & M. College. While Mr. Herring says he was kept busy every minute of the time he was away—and the many suggestions he has in mind for improving conditions in New Hanover show that he has not been idle—his features don't show him to be a man who is greatly fatigued.

In fact, it would be hard to find a man who has more enthusiasm for his chosen line of work. Mr. Herring said yesterday that he attended a conference in Raleigh two years ago and did not get much out of it, at least he didn't get near the amount of information and suggestions that he did this time. "The season is simple," he explained, "for I knew better how to go about it this time."

Mr. Herring stated that he had a number of suggestions that he wanted to make soon, but the one that he deems of most importance just now is that anyone having hoarseness who has any symptoms of cholera should notify him at once. Mr. Herring will either see that the proper precautions are taken or will see that the proper precautions to prevent the spread of cholera, even though the symptoms may be slight.

Mr. Herring has been especially impressed with the fact that now the farmer has at his disposal an expert for almost every problem he may wish to solve. Mr. Herring can upon short notice secure an agricultural expert upon almost any line to come to New Hanover, make an investigation and to advise as to the best way to handle the proposition.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

Charlie Wylie, colored, sent to County Jail for stealing beer at 25 cents a bottle in Wilmington, provided it can be done without the officers of the law finding out that it is being done. According to the evidence in two cases against Wylie, colored, who was tried before the Recorder yesterday, he had been dispensing beer and other fluids of more decided intoxicating character for considerable profit to himself and much satisfaction to his customers.

But Wylie happened to ill luck and Thursday night was arrested on two charges of selling beer without a license by Special Officer H. Mack Godwin. He was given a preliminary hearing before Justice Harris and sent to the Recorder. He was found guilty in each case by a jury of one and given three months for each offense.

Robertson Johnson, a negro, who did not appear to have much sense, was charged with stealing watch from Mr. J. T. King, while the latter was at work on the new Pythian building. The evidence was entirely circumstantial and not very strong at first, but the negro was given a preliminary hearing before Justice Harris and sent to the Recorder. He was found guilty in each case by a jury of one and given three months for each offense.

FUNERAL OF REV. J. A. SMITH.

Services from First Baptist Church Yesterday Afternoon. Attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives, the funeral of Rev. James A. Smith, who died at his residence, No. 215 Walnut street, Friday afternoon at 1:40 o'clock, was conducted from the First Baptist church yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster. There were many beautiful floral tributes to the deceased. The funeral service was held in the First Baptist church, where the interment was made.

The pall-bearers were: Messrs. J. W. Braswell and Earl Bowen, both white, and Dave Thomas, colored, were taxed with the costs for violating the traffic ordinance. Judgment was held open in case against W. H. Haynes, colored, for a similar offense.

HAD ENJOYABLE OUTING.

Einstein Bros., the well known wholesale dry goods firm of this city, were hosts to their employees and several former employees at a delightful outing yesterday afternoon. There were 27 men in all, and the party left the city at 1 o'clock for Greenville Park in a special suburban car, provided through the kindness of the Greenville Power Co. Upon their arrival at the lake the party found that a delicious barbecue had been provided, which was enjoyed to the utmost.

Following the barbecue, dancing was indulged in by those who enjoyed that kind of amusement, while boat riding on the beautiful lake made it pleasant for others. Besides the members of the firm and the employees in the store all the traveling salesmen of the concern were present also at the outing. Informal in every respect it was greatly enjoyed by all, and it was not until late in the afternoon that they returned to the city.

COMMITTEE MEETING IN WILMINGTON SATURDAY.

Representatives from School Districts to Plan Big Picnic.

The committees from the different school districts of the county which have been appointed to arrange for the big Farmers' Picnic which will be held in East Wilmington on September 17th are requested to meet in the Court House next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the purpose of discussing plans for the celebration which will be on an elaborate scale.

There will be a meeting in the interest of the picnic at Castle Haynes on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. On Friday night, at Middle Sound, there will be a meeting to arrange for the picnic. Meetings have already been held in practically every school district in the county and committees have been appointed to arrange for the celebration.

DEATH OF YOUNG GIRL.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Merritt Died Yesterday Afternoon. Many friends will sympathize tenderly with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Merritt in the death of their 10-year-old daughter, Louise, which occurred at their residence, No. 411 Bladen street, yesterday afternoon at 1:40 o'clock after an illness of several weeks. She was a bright child and took a great interest in the many changing phases of life.

She was a faithful member of the Sunday school of Bladen Street Methodist church and she was to have been conducted from that church this afternoon at 4 o'clock, the hour for the Sunday school session. Following the impressive exercises at the church, which will be attended by the members of the Sunday school and church and friends, the remains will be taken to Oakdale cemetery for interment. The pall-bearers will be Messrs. J. E. Taylor, R. L. Willis, Geo. L. Jones, and Geo. L. Clark.

Out to Return in October. The revenue cutter Samolite will return to her station here about the middle of October, and resume her patrolling of this portion of the coast, according to advices received by Mr. T. F. Wood. At present the cutter is at Baltimore, undergoing her annual overhauling. Capt. G. L. Carden, the commander, had been detached for special duty to the military governor of the International yacht races, but these will not be held on account of the war troubles abroad, and he will probably be able to return with the cutter when she takes up her station here.

RESIDENTS OF PARIS WITHIN ZONE FORTS ORDERED EVACUATE

(Continued from Page One.) of piping peace. We are engaged in a life and death struggle."

HOUSES MUST BE RAZED.

Within Action Zone of Paris Forts is Order of Military Governor. Paris, Aug. 29.—It is officially announced that the military governor has ordered all residents of the zone within action of the city's defending forts to evacuate and destroy their houses within four days from today, August 30th.

WHAT THE ORDER MEANS.

Many Square Miles Will Be Razed in and Around Paris. Washington, Aug. 29.—A circle of country 34 miles around will be swept of buildings if the order of the military governor of Paris is carried out. "The zone of action" of the French capital's defending forts burn their homes in anticipation of a siege is correctly interpreted here. It is supposed, the order refers to the suburban territory just beyond the city's second line of defenses composed of 17 connecting forts.

These were located in a wide circle about two miles outside of the inner wall which surrounds Paris. They lie for the most part among famous suburban towns such as Neuilly, Versailles, and St. Germain, and every approach to the city. It is assumed that the governor's order is intended to clear the way in front of those defenses that no protection will be afforded an advancing enemy.

The order probably applies also to the outer circuit of the city's triple line of defenses. These are the most modern forts. They are built of steel and masonry and known to be equipped with the heaviest guns of the famous French artillery, although details as to their armament have been closely guarded. They are located among the hills.

While it may be necessary to destroy numerous buildings in order to open the country for the fire from the guns it is thought the destruction will not be of such wholesale proportions as in the case of the second line forts which are embedded among costly dwellings and thriving towns.

Something of the magnitude of the defenses of Paris is shown by the estimate that only an army of half a million men can hope to invest them and cut them off from the outside world. Some of the forts still bear the names under which they resisted the German assaults in 1870. The result is that the forts are being remodeled and newly equipped many times, and the science of gunnery progressed. Today they are considered by military experts among the strongest defensive works in the world.

The two outer lines are so placed that each fort has cross-fire over the territory directly swept by the adjacent forts. The result is that the attackers face fire from both flanks as well as the front in advancing on any position.

ANXIOUS DAY IN PARIS.

People of the City Await With Fear the Outcome of Battle. Paris, Aug. 29.—This has been a long and anxious day in Paris.

As far as anyone can learn, the French masses appear to be intact except for those losses which were inevitable in a week's heavy fighting over vast front.

If the British and French retire to the western flank, it is explained that they do so to choose their ground for fiercer resistance. Every day has seen intense fighting moving up to the French front engaged on the Belgian frontier.

The French operating along the interior lines are able to shift an army from one point of the front to another swiftly, and it is said the allies probably are in stronger position today than they were last Sunday.

The Germans, apparently, swing to their increasing pressure. Russia, seem to be throwing themselves against entrenched positions and are suffering very severely. They are gaining ground and are seemingly are hopeful of being able to break through before Berlin is invested.

French wounded are arriving at the Provincial towns.

The Temps Versailles correspondent reports that the wounded are passing through there today.

FRENCH CLAIM VICTORY.

Official Report Issued This Morning Tell of Advance of Army. Paris, Aug. 30.—It is officially announced that the French left, composed of the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, 151st, 152nd, 153rd, 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for 35c25c Linoleum Mats, size 18x18 inches,
for 19c\$1.50 Cocoa Door Mats, large size,
for \$1.20

\$1.25 Cocoa Door Mat for 98c

Special price made on Window
Shades bought during this sale. 35c
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for 15c each. Special value.50c Window Shades, white and
cream and ecru 3 for \$1.00\$1.00 Duplex Shades, size 35x54
inches, for 80c

\$2.00 Porch Shades for \$1.39

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the very thing for school, for, pair \$3.98\$6.00 All-wool Blanket, beautiful
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Blankets for, pair \$6.75\$1.00 Teddy Bear Crib Blankets, as-
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for, pair 39c\$2.50 Comforts, full size, for,
pair \$2.10\$3.50 Comforts, fine quality, for,
pair \$2.9815c Curtain Scrim, 36 inches wide,
and a large range of patterns to select
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\$1.25 Mosquito Nets for 98c

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\$2.25 Mosquito Nets for \$1.69

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\$3.50 Hammocks for \$1.98

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\$4.00 Furniture Damask, 50 inches
wide, for \$2.75 yd\$3.00 Furniture Damask, 50 inches
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Table Damask, Napkins, Sheets and Bed Quilts at a Third Under Price For This Sale

64-inch Bleached Mercerized Table
Damask, 50c quality. Special sale
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all pure linen, \$1.25 number. Special
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With the Man in The Street

Another Ideal Shattered — To the idealistic purity that has been such a striking feature of all his former works, probably is due the larger part of the popularity of Harold Bell Wright with so many thousands of readers. His books, "The Shepherd of the Hills," "That Printer of Udell's," "The Winning of Barbara Worth," "The Calling of Dan Matthews," etc., have all been different, lacking in the quality of sordid realism that has had such a run in the fiction of the past few years, and they have been refreshing, accordingly.

But most of his admirers will read his latest book with a sense of pained surprise. "The Eyes of the World," published this month, is an allegorical novel, the story of an artist who, in the present commercial age, rises superior to the commercialism and materialism of the day and paints the things as they are. The book is avowedly a prescient against sensualism and the sordidness of the so-called sex novels that have been much in vogue of late, and in its finer aspects it is on a par with Mr. Wright's other works. But it is sadly marred in spots by the very qualities that the author pretends to condemn. It's hard to suspect Mr. Wright of hypocrisy, but his latest

effort, when viewed in the light of the purpose for which it professes to be written, borders closely on that despicable human failing, Mr. Wright will make more new friends and keep more old ones, if, in the future, he will confine his efforts to the kind of work which he has shown himself capable of in his earlier books, and leave "savage action"—the term is taken from an advertisement of his new book—to less talented authors.

One on the T. E.—The Telegraph Editor recently changed his rooming place, and about the third night after he had moved the people at his new home, forgetting that they had a roomer who came in only a few hours before respectable people are arising, locked the front door and left the key in the lock.

About 1 o'clock, having finished his work and disposed of the traditional piece of pie and glass of milk, the Telegraph Editor wended his way homeward, looking forward to a restful sleep. Reaching the front door, he attempted to insert his key, but thanks to the other key, on the inside of the lock, was unable to make much progress. He was still twisting at the key and swearing softly but eloquently under his breath when a sturdy member of the Wilmington police force, strolling by, paused to watch the exhibition. After looking on for a few minutes, the minion of the law decided that all was not well, and proceeded to take a hand in the game.

"What are you doing there?" he inquired of the newspaper man, rather gruffly.

"Trying to unlock the door, you boob," answered the Telegraph Editor.

"What do you think I'm doing—taking

the temperature of the door knob?"

"Aw, don't get fresh with me, young fellow. I don't like the looks of this. S'pose you come with me and tell the sergeant about it."

"Go on, man! Have a heart! This is where I live."

"Hebbs so, but just the same, you come along with me."

And, after some further argument, the Telegraph Editor went.

Of course the officers at the station knew him, and he was allowed to go, but his friends around the city who have been let in on the joke are still teasing him about it.

Poor Girls!—Two traveling men sat on the Orion plaza one evening not long since, and watched the crowds passing up and down the street. Said one of them: "I've just noticed something. Why is it that you see so many young women strolling along the Wilmington streets in couples, trios or larger groups, unaccompanied by any young men?"

"I've noticed that, too," said the other. "and it's more noticeable in Wil-

son than in any other city of this size that I know of. But I don't know the reason. I'm sure it's not because the Wilmington girls are not good looking or attractive, for to my mind they will compare favorably along these lines with their sisters in any community you might name."

The first speaker was silent for a few minutes, apparently lost in thought. "By George, I believe I know the reason," he remarked. "It's because of Wrightsville Beach. The Wilmington girls, while the beach season is on, go down there and meet the visiting girls, take them to Lumina and dance, or sit out in some secluded spot

and listen to the music of the waves. And the girls here in town, for lack of an escort, have to content themselves with the company of their own sex and seek their romance on the screens of the moving picture shows."

"Guess you're right," assented his companion. "I hadn't thought of it in just that way, but that must be the answer. Pretty hard on the Wilmington girls, too."

The Upheaval of Civilization—"In almost the twinkling of an eye, so to speak, the wonderful credit system which has been the proud boast of the civilized nations of the world for three generations was swept away and so far as Europe is concerned Americans had to resort to the primitive means used by their ancestors to get the ordinary necessities of life," said our pessimistic friend the other day after listening to a lengthy diatribe from the Telegraph Editor, who sought to show that the world becomes better each year.

"Now, my friend, you can't dispute that," he continued, with animation. "For haven't we sent the North Carolina and the Tennessee to European countries with millions of gold aboard; and why did gold have to be sent? The answer is easy. While stranded Americans had plenty of legitimate credit before the war began, having deposited money in American banks to pay all their expenses, when the conflict began between the nations their credit wasn't any good. Only gold would go, and that has been a means of exchange since the days the Teutons roamed the fields of ancient Gaul, the scene of the present conflict, dressed in skins, with little to protect them from the elements.

"How many hundred years we shall

go back in other things it is impossible to say," he continued, but, noticing the look of surprise on the faces of his auditors he stopped for a moment. "I know you think that I am a crank, and so I am; I'll admit that, but am I any bigger crank than those people who will tell you the world will come to an end? I say that it will not come to an end, but that our civilization will be set back no less than a hundred years, and possibly for a thousand, and it could easily be for a longer time than that. Living in an essentially commercial age we have been hardening hit in that respect at the beginning, but if this war continues, and there is no reason to suppose that it will not last for some time yet, we are going to see other things just as badly hurt by this carnage and uncivilized butchery on the battlefields of Europe.

"Newspapers already have to pay more for their white paper than formerly, and it can easily happen that there will not be any means of manufacturing enough to supply the demand of the world, within a short time. Indeed, in Paris and some of the other European cities they are now being printed on mere slips. When newspapers shall be curtailed or cease to be published altogether then would be the beginning of the dark ages anew. Destruction of means of communication, the abolishment of schools, placing the children in the fields to work, these and a thousand other things can happen to bring us back within a generation to those picturesque dark ages in early European history.

"Now, you will remember that even in those dark ages, times we are disposed to look with horror, there were

a class of men, mostly monks, who were educated, and who kept alive the traditions that have come down to us. They performed a useful service. The great mass of people in that time, however, had no time to devote to the higher things of life. They were ignorant simply because they had no means of being informed.

"Now I know that you are going to call me a fool and a maniac visionary, but is there not reason to justify my belief that we are going back in the scale of civilization a few hundred years unless this war stops soon?"

"Haven't we already gone back?"

"Of course, I know there is a bright side to war. There are those who can paint a bright picture of the bravery and heroism which it incites, and most of that is true. And yet what a price must be paid! For my part, I believe that a better way of developing these qualities, no necessary to success, could be devised than going to war."

PENDER FARMERS WILL PROVIDE COTTON WAREHOUSE

Negro Charged With Murder Is Brought Back from Savannah, Ga.

(Special Star Correspondence)
Burgaw, N. C., August 29.—The Farmers' Union of Pender county is making progress in the matter of the cotton warehouse, and there is no doubt that one will be erected here in time for the crop. Cotton in this section is very late, owing to the dry spring. Deputy Sheriff Murray returned here Thursday evening from Savannah, Ga., with John Smith, the negro charged with shooting and killing another negro.

ro, named John Wilkins, here on June 15th last, following a night spent in gambling, particulars of which were published at the time. Smith was captured in Savannah by the authorities there on the strength of information furnished by the officers here, who had located him in that city through a letter Smith had written to his wife here, which had been secured in some way. Smith is said to admit the killing, but claims he had to do it to get the other negro out of his house. This makes four murder cases for next term of court.

DR. PERSON SUES COAST LINE. Asks \$200,000 for Injuries Received in Wreck at Contentnea.

(Special Star Correspondence)
Wilson, N. C., Aug. 29.—Attorney representing Dr. B. T. Person, former postmaster, who was so seriously injured in the wreck on the Atlantic Coast Line railway near Contentnea Junction several months ago, have prepared papers for a suit asking damages in the sum of \$200,000. Suit will also be brought by attorneys for Mrs. Bethlehem Fields for damages in the sum of \$10,000.

Dr. Person has never recovered from his injuries and is hardly able to walk. The railway company has already settled several claims and has paid considerable damages.

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We are in a land of plenty, but
speculators have a corner on the abun-
dances of the land.

"Truth crushed to earth will rise
again" but it depends on whether the
censor falls down on his job.

One advantage which a heathen has
is that he cannot read what the pa-
pers of civilization are recording in
big type.

One of the strictest neutralities at
this time is being observed by Colonel
Roosevelt. He is too busy in his ef-
forts to issue the G. O. P. elephant.

American boys will learn with re-
gret that thousands of teachers who
were marooned in Europe on account
of the war will be able to get home
in time to open school.

It frequently happens to be the case
that a question apparently has two
sides to it, because either the affirma-
tive or the negative side makes use
of prejudice instead of logic as the
ground for argument.

The chief in command of Great Brit-
ain's great navy is Admiral Sir John
Jellicoe. Sounds sort of Italian, but
it isn't. He is a Britisher who can be
depended on to the last ship.

Argentine is anxious to increase her
trade with the United States. A few
ships and some intelligent effort will
build up an immense trade for us with
our South American neighbors.

A scientist explains the difficulty of
hearing noise made in the air. What
the world wants is something to keep
a few people on earth from making
one kind of noise right after the other
in order to attract attention.

North Carolina Republicans are
asking to be "tried again." Owing to
the absolute failure of the Republican
party, both in the State and the Nation,
it could expect nothing but con-
viction if it were ever tried again.

While Colonel Roosevelt was mean-
dering through Europe a few years
ago, he told the Big Nibs how to run
their governments in order to give sat-
isfaction and be called bully boys with
glass eyes. The war in Europe shows
that they needed advice on how to be
good.

War has so mollified the Russian
Czar that hereafter the Baptists will
be permitted to have their prayer
meetings without being dragged off to
prison. A spirit of liberality seems to
have been born of the war. Policy
goes a long way in a day of emer-
gency.

While we are declaring loudly
against the autocratic right of a
crowned head to declare war when-
ever he gets his royal nose out of
joint, we had better lay down a new
rule regulating American admirals
who can bring on war by demanding
a salute to the flag.

When some men find themselves on
the losing side their jaws drop down
at an angle of ten degrees, while others
keep a stiff upper lip and let grim-
ness cloud their face. No man is a
good loser. He bows to the inevitable
but down in his brow there is no ap-
proval of the bow. Sure, Mabel, ain't
it so?

Kaiser Wilhelm seems to be the on-
ly one who seems to think God is tak-
ing a hand with him in the fight. The
fact is, earthy man sows the whirlwind
and reaps it in accordance with the
immutable law of his Maker. Right
and wrong are the equivalents of good
and evil. Man violates the law and
brings the penalty upon himself—and
his fellowman.

North Carolina has one army of 612-
266 out of a population of 2,250,000. It
is an army which prevents grass from
invading the productive farms of the
State. It is an army of producers
whose object is not to destroy wealth
but to produce it. Besides this, North
Carolina has another great army of
producers in the cotton mills and var-
ious industrial establishments.

HOW TO GET MONEY ON COTTON.

The farmer who has cotton and is
compelled to have money, can get it
without selling his crop. Democratic
legislation and Secretary McAdoo's
Treasury administration has made that
possible for the first time in the history
of America. The same arrange-
ment holds good as to tobacco and
other farm products that become as-
sets when stored subject to the Treas-
ury conditions.

As to cotton or tobacco, notes with
a maturity limit of not longer than
four months, secured by warehouse
certificates or receipts, deposited with
banks as collateral, will entitle the
holder of such storage paper to credit
on the basis of 75 per cent of the
value of the product on storage. It
has been agreed since that during the
past six years the average price of
cotton has exceeded 12 cents per
pound, so warehouse certificates can be
negotiated with the banks at 8 cents
per pound. That is at the rate of \$40
per 500 pound bale, and all comers can
get it. The Treasury is authorized to
issue as much as \$1,000,000,000 em-
ergency currency if it is needed, hence
all the South has to do is to build it
some warehouses and go on about its
business.

The currency act provides all the
machinery for retiring this issue as
rapidly as it is necessary to prevent
inflation, and the Treasury Department
will take care of that part of it if it
will do the warehousing according to
the conditions.

MAKE A LIVING FIRST.

As an example, the war in Europe
abruptly and brutally emphasizes the
oft time preachment of the State and
National Agricultural departments and
the newspapers as to the imperativeness
and wisdom of crop diversification.
The war has tumbled down on the
South a mountain of bricks, as it were,
to make our one-crop people sit
up and take notice. The all-cotton
producers and the all-tobacco growers
have had a hard lesson brought
home to them, and no doubt in the
future they will be good.

Make a living first. Cotton and to-
bacco are all right. They are fine as-
sets but they would be finer along with
grain crops, hay crops, cattle raising,
dairying and collateral production too
numerous to mention. Those who have
tried out on the matter of making a
living instead of making cash crops
are able to point to their success any
old time—prosperity times or war
times. Therefore we don't have to
guess but simply hear them tell about
how they turn the trick.

Mr. J. C. Crowley, of Wilson county,
an industrious Englishman, tells the
Wilson Times that he has been able
to support his family and lay aside
some money by farming on twelve
acres of land. He has been in this
country 27 years, and in past 50
years old. Our North Carolina Eng-
lish farmer has greatly impressed the
Wilson paper with his experience and
it quotes him as saying that less than
12 acres will keep a family in Europe.
He makes his living and keeps some-
thing to sell. He cannot understand
why the farmers of this country do not
first provide for something to eat be-
fore they pitch their money crop. Mr.
Crowley says that if they lived in Eu-
rope where war is expected at any mo-
ment they would be compelled to first
provide food before they started in to
make money.

Of course, farmers should grow cot-
ton, tobacco and peanuts, but that is
not all. However, there are farmers
who do not plant either. Mr. T. M.
Lowrey, a farmer in Sumter county,
South Carolina, is making a fine suc-
cess of farming, although he does not
grow a stalk of cotton. He has a 140-
000 plantation and operates 20 plows.
He grows grains and raises meat, thus
making his livestock his customer for
his grain and forage crops. This year
he planted 1,000 acres in wheat, oats,
corn and food crops. Not a hill of
cotton was planted, and yet Mr. Low-
rey is reveling in prosperity while his
cotton neighbors have a cotton prob-
lem that is making them sick.

THE COTTON HOLDING PLAN IS SET- TLED.

There is no further need of confer-
ences to fix on a plan to finance and
hold cotton or other farm products
in view of the fact that there has
been a suspension of this country's ex-
port business on account of the Euro-
pean war. Secretary McAdoo and the
cotton, financial and business inter-
ests have taken a near cut to a solu-
tion of the whole problem, so there is
no further use of conferences and
meetings except for the purpose of
emphasizing the practical plan already
arranged and approved and to adopt
measures to provide the warehouses.

Last Monday's conference with Sec-
retary McAdoo was followed on Fri-
day by a report from the special com-
mittee of the conference, heartily ap-
proving the official proposition of Mr.
McAdoo in connection with a practical
warehouse system for the storage of
cotton and other products of the
farm. The combined Treasury and
warehouse feature is nothing more nor
less than a vindication of the ware-
house plan submitted by Mr. J. A.
Taylor, adopted officially by the Wil-
mington Chamber of Commerce and
endorsed by Wilmington exporters,
financiers and business men generally.

There is universal approval of the plan
in Wilmington and since it offers im-
mediate solution there is no need of
delay in carrying out the arrange-
ments.

The Wilmington plan fits in identically
with the Treasury and conference
agreements. The emergency ware-
house plan as adopted by the Wil-
mington Chamber of Commerce is not only
especially adaptable to the Treasury

proposition, but it is an indispensable
feature of the absolutely essential
plan as to financing and storing for
holding purposes.

When such men as Mr. Henry Wal-
ters, of the Atlantic Coast Line; Mr.
Theodore H. Price, the New York cot-
ton expert; Mr. S. T. Morgan, president
of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Com-
pany; Mr. Lewis W. Parker, one of
the leading cotton manufacturers of
the country; Mr. D. Y. Cooper, of the
Southern Manufacturers' Association;
Mr. Richard H. Edmonds, editor of the
Manufacturers Record, and other
equally experienced and distinguished
men, concur with Secretary McAdoo and
close the deal with their practical sug-
gestions as to the details, the South
may as well go right ahead with the
Wilmington warehouse plan.

That plan has been published and
outlined several times in The Star, and
it so practically and adequately meets
the warehouse end of the situation that
its adoption should be South-wide. It
covers the ground fully as to small
as well as large cotton centers, but
emphasis needs to be laid upon the
fact that it comprehends the erection
of warehouses to hold some 600 bales
of cotton or more, as the necessity
requires.

The one vital prerequisite now is
to proceed with a rush on the ware-
house part of the arrangement. The
Star is glad to note that Lumberton,
Maxton, Laurinburg, Rockingham,
Wilson, Fremont, Clinton and other
towns have gone to work on ware-
houses, and if the entire State and
the South act with equal celerity
and earnestness, the South will have
its cotton problem settled by the time
the large October cotton movement is
on. Getting an 8 cents per pound ad-
vance on cotton will at once meet the
business situation and thereafter the
problem will pass into economic history.

PACKING HOUSE FOR SALISBURY.

Georgia has taken the lead of the
Southeastern States in the cattle and
packing house industry, but it is grati-
fying to state that North Carolina is
beginning to see its opportunity along
that line. Eastern North Carolina is
peculiarly adapted to the cattle in-
dustry where the cattle tick has been
eradicated, but tick free Central and
Western North Carolina seems to be
getting ahead of us both in commer-
cial dairying and cattle raising.

The Salisbury Post of Friday tells
us that a great livestock enterprise
is contemplated for that section with
Salisbury as the market center for cat-
tle raising counties in the piedmont
and mountain section. It is proposed to
build a packing house at Salisbury and
there concentrate live stock for slaugh-
ter and for distribution in the
finished state. Interests from abroad
are making an effort to get local in-
terests connected with them in exten-
sive plans, and the Post predicts that
the arrangements will soon materialize.

A representative of one of the largest
packing houses of the country, who also
is president of one of the big livestock
yards companies in New Jersey, has
spent the last few days in Salisbury
and in the surrounding counties look-
ing into the prospects for such an
enterprise. He was deeply impressed
with the situation, and the Post says
he expressed the belief that the Salis-
bury section would soon become a
leading livestock producing region. He
was well pleased with Salisbury for
the central marketing yards and as a
distributing point for packing house
products.

The packing house man went to
Salisbury through the representations
of the land and industrial department
of the Southern Railway, and he will
return North and make a favorable
report to capitalists who are interested.
He found the rural sections ideal for
growing grasses and forage crops,
while the climate is ideal in every
respect. "I know you people can raise
livestock down here," he remarked,
"and since you are finding it out your-
selves, I know you are going to do it
and on a large scale, sooner or later."

The Commercial Club and local in-
terests at Salisbury became interested
in the packer's proposition and a
conference was arranged to take the
matter up in detail. The Southern
Railway's land and industrial agent,
Mr. T. Gilbert Word, Mr. Hamilton
Baxter, freight agent, Prof. H. S. Curtis,
of the State livestock department, Mr.
F. L. Word, livestock agent of the
Southern Railway, and others are co-
operating in the matter.

When it is fully decided to go into
the cattle and dairying industry in
this State we will be astonished at
ourselves for not having seen our
opportunity in that respect at least
a quarter of a century ago. The time
is coming when we will be compelled
to produce our own meats and dairy
products.

A Wilmington man, got into an ar-
gument with his wife concerning the
European war, but he says he ac-
knowledges that, owing to a lack of
time, he had to make it a draw by sim-
ply drawing off and letting her alone.
She started in with history and pulled
a scrap book of current events on him
at the very start. He is firmly con-
vinced that the best way to get the best
of a woman in an argument is to pick
out a timid little woman whose early
education has been neglected.

Uncle Sam used to be regarded as
the Rubie among nations, but when he
got rich they played him for a lob-
ster. We don't know how it is now
under the Democrats, but during the
days of so-called Republican diploma-
cy Uncle Sam rushed his nabobs to
foreign courts to kowtow in court cir-
cles, drink champagne, smoke loaded
cigars, stick their feet under monarch-
istic mahogany, rear back on their

dignity and take the diplomatic bait
in a way that would make Machiavelli
show his ivory. Uncle Sam used to
sign quite a number of treaties but
"made" very few, but now that Dem-
ocrats are hobnobbing around in foreign
courts it is hoped they will stand on
their dignity and not rear back on
it for getting stroked down the spine
and patted on the back.

The South is mostly concerned in its
tied-up cotton crop. Build warehouses.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Some of the papers are discussing
the question as to whether Germany or
England has captured the greater num-
ber of the merchant ships. The information of the
New York Journal of Commerce, which
comes from British sources, says the
belief in shipping circles is that Ger-
many, having declined England's offer
that detailed merchant ships and two
countries should be mutually given two
or three days' grace to leave, has made
a much greater haul of vessels than
has England. The proportion is given
roughly as seven British boats having
been seized to every three German
boats. This was, of course, inevitable
in view of Britain's huge preponder-
ance as a shipping nation. This pro-
portion is likely to be reduced in favor
of England, however, by reason of the
fact set forth in The Journal of Com-
merce, that the Germans, owing to the
immense difficulty they will expe-
rience in reaching their own country,
will run by far the greatest risk of
capture, and recompense is expected to
be gained in this way for the losses al-
ready sustained. There are known to
be a large number of German boats
either on the high seas or in foreign
ports, some of which will be almost
certain to be captured when they at-
tempt to reach Germany, and Germans
represent the most valuable of prizes.—
Charlotte Observer.

There is a world of good sense in the
remarks addressed by Representative
Keating, a young Democrat from Colo-
rado, to his fellow-partisans in the
House who were aiming to put through
one of those vicious attacks on the civil
service laws in which Southern Demo-
crats seem to take a particular pleas-
ure. "You men who come from below
Mason and Dixon's line do not know
what it means to fight for Democracy
in the North and the West. It is not
sufficient there to say, 'This is a Demo-
cratic ticket, and you should vote it
because your father was a Democrat.'"
Instead, we have to appeal to the in-
telligence of our constituents. We have
to show the Democratic party stands
for something entirely different from
what the Republican party stands for,
and unless we can do that we cannot
get the support of those indepen-
dent voters who are essential to Demo-
cratic success in the West and the
North. There is a good deal of appli-
cability in these remarks to the situa-
tion in Philadelphia. To be a Demo-
crat in Philadelphia, to resist the cor-
rupt Republican gang that seeks to
crush out all independence and manli-
ness, takes courage and spirit. Yet
these self-conscious self-styled so-
called leaders in this State who are
aiming to break down this saving rem-
nant by their foolish tactics and to di-
vide the minority party. They should
take heed of the words of Keating
to heart before it is too late.—
Philadelphia Record (Dem.)

Col. Roosevelt says he is entirely
satisfied with his progress through New
England, and will now proceed with his
work. If he can gain as much in the
Central States, in the West and the
South, shall we see a Progressive in the
White House, with a corresponding
change of sentiment in a majority or
a large minority of the States? If the
possibility of this change be conceded
what changes would follow in our do-
mestic policies and in our foreign rela-
tions? We need not forget that the
Colonel was "entirely content" with the
election of Wilson—he said he had only
hoped to secure the defeat of Taft, and
therefore, he won the late election.
Would he be equally content to force
the election of a Democrat in the com-
ing struggle? Nothing can be plainer
than the showing offered that the pro-
gram of the Colonel has failed to change
the status of any New England State;
if he can be satisfied with a few re-
ceptions and cheers and honorable men-
tions by anybody object? Practically,
the Colonel has failed to win what it
was when the Colonel was laudatory in his
descriptions and pleasant in his criti-
cisms. The bosses then are the bosses
now, except that one has taken himself
to be a boss and the other a person.
If there is any difference in principle, policy or
manner and means of administration
between then and now except that he
does not direct, and he is no longer the
head. To a boss man the personal
loyalty of the government would amount
to little to the Colonel it seems to be
all in all.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

There are some facts about both the
dual convention and the one convention
which are of interest to the progress-
ives and the Roosevelt-Republicans of Forty-eight
in Greensboro, and the Republican State
convention of some Two Hundred in
Raleigh, which should be kept in mind
by the people of the State. One fact is
that neither of these conventions was
a delegated convention, that in neither
were there any talk as to credentials
going to show that delegates were rep-
resented by delegates chosen regularly.
The truth is that in the Greens-
boro meeting all were in attendance on
their own hook. They had sent them-
selves to the convention. And as to the
Republican convention in Raleigh, if
there had been any but the very fewest
county meetings to send delegates,
no one seems to know. That conven-
tion, like its Greensboro predecessor,
was made up of Republicans who came
also on their own hook. In the Re-
publican convention in Raleigh, T.
E. Cray of Davidson, told his fel-
low Republicans that in the event of
their doing certain things the party
would be dead that it is now. He
was frank in his statement that the
Republican party was dead, and agreed
that the dead could not be hurt. He is
right that his party is a dead party,
and the fact that its State convention
was made up of stragglers who rep-
resented only the shadows is proof that
it is indeed dead in so far as being at
all representative of the people. And
it was this humbug of a State conven-
tion which talked of being for the rule
of the people? And the on-their-own-
hook convention crawled into its own
hole and left to the Republican execu-
tive committee the nomination of Re-
publican candidates. Republicans in
North Carolina is a rank farce.—Ra-
leigh News and Observer.

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(advertisement.)

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25c Fancy and Plain Ratine, 27 inches wide; Clean Up Sale at 15c	\$5.00 Dress Skirts; Clean Up Sale \$3.50
19c Plain Poplin, just the thing for Fall Dress, also School Dress. Clean Up Sale 15c	\$1.50 House Dresses; Clean Up Sale 95c
50c. Plaid and Plain Dress Goods; 36 inches wide. Clean Up Sale 25c	\$1.50 to \$3.50 Shoes; Clean Up Sale 95c
\$1.00 Yard Wide Black Taffeta Silk; Clean Up Sale 60c	\$2.50 to \$4.00 Men's Shoes; Clean Up Sale . . \$1.95
10c Fancy Dress Gingham; Good Styles; Clean Up Sale 75c	All Straw Hats without reserve go at just One- Half Price.
\$1.50 Colored Petticoats. Clean Up Sale 80c	Men's Patent Seam Drawers; regular 50c goods; while they last at 35c
\$1.50 White Waists; Clean Up Sale 95c	Mattings and Art Squares, Rugs and Carpets, at Splendid Bargains this week.
	Boys' New School Suits have arrived and are on display.

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goods, which we were lucky in purchasing before the advance in prices.

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PLANS FOR A MODEL COTTON WAREHOUSE

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Prepared for Mr. L. E. Hall by Architect Jas. F. Gause, Jr.—Information Available to Anyone Interested.

Mr. Louis E. Hall, of the firm of Hall & Pearson, and vice president of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, has had Mr. Jas. F. Gause, Jr., a well known local architect, to prepare plans and specifications for a model cotton storage warehouse that will meet the requirements of the insurance companies for such buildings and at the same time can be erected for a very low figure.

Recognizing the value of the Wilmington plan for cotton storage, as a means of protecting the country from the acute cotton situation arising out of the war abroad, Mr. Hall will place all information relative to the new building with the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, which body will be glad to furnish it to all those who may be interested. Mr. Hall has also authorized Mr. Gause to furnish copies of the plans and specifications to any individual or community desiring to build such a warehouse, and this Mr. Gause is prepared to do at a nominal figure.

As designed by Mr. Gause the model cotton storage warehouse will be 20,000 cubic feet in size, with a capacity of 20,000 cubic feet of storage space, which, it is estimated, will accommodate 500 or more bales of cotton. The warehouse is designed to take the rate of \$1.75 per \$100 which the insurance companies have made in view of the emergency cotton situation. The maximum number of bales to be stored in one warehouse under this low rate is 500.

The building complete, based on the market prices of materials in Wilmington, is estimated to cost between \$600 and \$700, but in rural communities, where rough lumber can be secured from nearby mills at lower figures than the prevailing prices here, it is estimated that it could be built for probably 10 per cent less than the above amount.

The cost of construction, it will be seen, amounts to little more than \$1 per bale storage capacity, and figured at a reasonable rate of storage charge, it should pay for itself in 12 months. Mr. Gause's plans call for a building of skeleton wood frame, covered over on roof, sides and ends with corrugated steel or iron as preferred, the latter material, however, being the most expensive.

It has two 15-inch galvanized iron ventilators in the roof, and two doors at each end, spaced five and one-half feet apart and five and one-half feet in width and eight feet in height.

The floor is constructed by leveling off the earth, tamping it well and spreading four inches of clean cinders over the ground. A wooden floor could be laid if preferred, but would be more expensive and would also add ten cents per \$100 to the insurance rate applying to the building.

The estimate given above does not include the cost of painting the structure. If painting is desired, it is estimated that it could be done at a cost of from \$75 to \$100.

The bill of material, as estimated for the model warehouse, is as follows:

180 lin. ft. 6x8 inch. Main Sills.
20 pieces 6x8, 10 foot long posts.
400 lin. ft. 2x6 plates.
125 pieces 2x6, 18 foot long, rafters and braces.

33 pieces 2x6, 10 foot long braces.
110 lin. ft. 1x8, ridge board.
48 pieces 2x4, 10 foot long braces.
130 pieces 2x4, 12 foot long purlins.
100 pieces 2x4, 10 foot long posts.
Five pieces 4x6, 12 foot long head-ers.

200 lin. ft. 2x8 verge and gutter boards.
Approximate number of feet B. M., 7,500 feet.
35 pounds 2x6 wire nails.
40 pounds 1x4 wire nails.
15 pounds 8d wire nails.

Four sets of barn door hangers with track.
Two 15-inch galvanized ventilators.
Four padlocks with hasp and staples.
Six water casks with two galvanized buckets each.

347 sheets No. 28 gauge galvanized steel with 1 1/4-inch corrugations, 10 feet long.
Four sheets No. 28 gauge galvanized steel with 1 1/4 inch corrugations, seven feet long.

Eight sheets No. 28 gauge galvanized steel with 1 1/4 inch corrugations six feet long.
Eight sheets No. 28 gauge galvanized steel with 1 1/4 inch corrugation, five feet long.

Eight sheets No. 28 gauge galvanized steel with 1 1/4 inch corrugation, three feet long.
Four sheets No. 28 gauge galvanized steel with 1 1/4 inch corrugation, two feet long.

Approximate 7,584 square feet which can be bought around \$3.17 per 100 square feet.
56 pounds 4d galvanized barbed roofing nails.
25 pounds lead washers.

105 lin. ft. No. 28 gauge galvanized steel ridge covering.
The corrugated galvanized steel No. 28 gauge, can be purchased F. O. B. Wilmington at about \$3.17 per 100 square feet. It is manufactured and sold by the Carolina Metal Products Company, or can be had from any reputable hardware dealer.

STRUCK UNKNOWN OBSTRUCTION.

Fishing Steamer Lawrence Slightly Damaged Yesterday.

The fishing steamer Lawrence, now engaged in fishing for the Carolina Coast Products Company, struck an uncharted obstruction off Corn Cake Inlet yesterday and some damage was done. The vessel later reported to the factory and was found to be leaking slightly under her boilers. She was towed to Wilmington late yesterday afternoon, and will go on the marine railway for repairs.

It was at first reported that the vessel was aground on the jetty outside the Cape Fear bar, and was in danger of being seriously damaged, but this report proved incorrect, the vessel striking the unknown obstruction several miles off the coast from the jetty.

The Lawrence was in deep water when she struck. The nature of the obstruction is unknown. Little damage was done to the vessel, but the owners thought best to have her repaired at once.

STATISTICS FOR CORPORATIONS

Figures of Interest From Year-Book of North Carolina Corporation Commission.

The annual year book of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, a copy of which has been received by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, contains some very interesting figures relative to the number of employees of the various corporations of the State, the wages they are paid, etc. Those with reference to the Atlantic Coast Line, the Seaboard Air Line and the Tidewater Power Company are of especial interest to Wilmingtonians.

According to the year book, the A. C. L., during the year of 1913, employed in North Carolina 5,193 persons, paid an average daily wage of \$2.27, while the Seaboard employed 2,875, paid an average daily wage of \$2.14.

The following figures, relative to the divisions of the employees of the several corporations, will be of interest:

General officers—Coast Line, 14, with an average daily wage of \$13.39; Seaboard, 26, wage \$21.10.

Other officers—Coast Line, 61, \$9.15; Seaboard, 10, \$5.13.

General office clerks—Coast Line, 244, \$2.29; Seaboard, 126, \$2.73.

Agents—Coast Line, 161, \$2.02; Seaboard, 88, \$1.50.

Other station men—Coast Line, 493, \$1.37; Seaboard, 123, \$1.60.

Engineers—Coast Line, 173, \$6.19; Seaboard, 55, \$4.07.

Firemen—Coast Line, 170, \$2.74; Seaboard, 64, \$1.76.

Conductors—Coast Line, 163, \$4.72; Seaboard, 51, \$3.76.

Other trainmen—Coast Line, 349, \$2.54; Seaboard, 146, \$1.77.

Mechanics—Coast Line, 112, \$3.25; Seaboard, 65, \$3.12.

Carpenters—Coast Line, 211, \$2.66; Seaboard, 84, \$2.86.

Other shopmen—Coast Line, 1,010, \$1.66; Seaboard, 525, \$1.70.

Section foreman—Coast Line, 113, \$1.82; Seaboard, 107, \$2.43.

Other trackmen—Coast Line, 679, \$1.99; Seaboard, 536, \$1.16.

Switch tenders—Coast Line, 197, \$0.51; Seaboard, 35, \$1.21.

Telegraphers and dispatchers—Coast Line, 171, \$2.48; Seaboard, 66, \$2.43.

All others—Coast Line, 768, \$2.88; Seaboard, 31, \$2.61.

The Norfolk-Southern employees 1,798 men in the State at an average daily wage of \$1.95. The Southern Railway employees, 6,428 at \$2.12.

The total assessed value of corporation property in New Hanover for the year 1913 was \$1,728,219.80, divided as follows: Coast Line, \$1,042,527; S. A. L., \$95,928; Pullman Company, \$2,018,51; Southern Express, \$5,129; Western Union, \$9,000.79; New Hanover Transit Company, \$2,300; Tidewater Power Co., \$447,230; Merchants and Farmers' loan, \$1,484; Carolina Transportation Company, \$4,000; Robert Porter Brewing Co., \$440; Postal Telegraph Co., \$603.

The Tidewater Power Company carried 3,554,558 passengers in 1913. The company employed 325 persons, and paid wages as follows: General officers, \$12,813.34; clerks, \$16,852.21; conductors, \$13,972.07; motormen, \$3,972.28; miscellaneous car men, \$4,168.24; car house employees, \$1,311.15.

The gross income above operating expenses was \$166,952.37; deducted from income for various purposes, \$164,117.21; net income, \$12,824.16.

DR. STILES TO SPEAK AT SCHOOL OPENING.

Fall Term of Chadbourne High School Begins Monday—Faculty.

Dr. C. W. Stiles, professor in charge of the United States Marine Hospital in Wilmington, will deliver a lecture at the opening of the Chadbourne High School tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

It has been planned to make the occasion a most pleasant one for all and in addition to the children, parents and friends of the school have been invited to attend. Besides Dr. Stiles, address, which will be the feature of the opening, short talks will be made by leading citizens of that enterprise town.

Chadbourne has an unusually well equipped school building and for a number of years the work done there has been of a very high type. The faculty this year has been selected with the single aim in view of having the best school to be had with the funds available.

The teachers and the grades follow: First and second grades, Miss Ina R. Mellett, of Chadbourne; third, Miss Fannie B. Wood, of Emporia, Va.; fourth, Miss Jessie Williams, of McPherson, Kan.; fifth, Miss Mary McKensie, of Chadbourne; sixth, Miss Mary P. Mayo, of Philadelphia, Pa.; seventh, Miss Laura McKewen, of Stanley; eighth and ninth, Miss Hester Scruthers, of Chadbourne. The principal, Prof. J. E. Dowd, will teach the tenth and eleventh grades. For the past two years he was principal of the High School at Red Springs.

Red Springs is now to Chadbourne with the highest recommendations.

ENTERS INSURANCE FIELD.

Mr. Marvin J. Cowell Goes With Mr. W. A. McGirt as Special Agent.

Effective September 1st, Mr. Marvin J. Cowell, a well known and popular young man of this city, who has been employed in the general offices of the Atlantic Coast Line for several years, will be associated with Mr. W. A. McGirt in the real estate and insurance business. He has been appointed special agent for the State Mutual Life Assurance Company, of which Mr. McGirt is district agent. His many friends will wish him the best of success in his new field and will hope that he will continue to prosper.

Mr. McGirt makes a specialty of buying and selling farm lands and Mr. Cowell in addition to his insurance work will assist him in looking after this business. Mr. McGirt has his offices in the Masonic Temple building.

GOES TO CINCINNATI.

Mr. B. B. Schonwald Will Attend School There This Winter.

The following appeared on the wireless bulletin board at the Wilmington High School wireless telegraph station yesterday morning:

Amateur Press Dispatch.
"Issued from the Wilmington High School Wireless Telegraph Station, August 29, 1914. Q S T de 4 B S W."

12:02 P. M.
"We regret to announce that on the 30th of this month the Wilmington High School wireless telegraph station will lose one of its most efficient operators, Mr. B. B. Schonwald."

"Mr. Schonwald goes to Cincinnati, Ohio, where he will enter high school."

"We wish Mr. Schonwald all good luck in whatever he undertakes. W."

\$1.50 crex rugs, size 36x72, at Polvogt's five-day sale, for \$1.15—Advertisement.

VICTORIA OPENS LABOR DAY

Handsome Vaudeville House Will Inaugurate Season on Holiday—Improvements.

This week, the beginning of September, will formally inaugurate the theatrical season of 1914-15 in the United States and Wilmington will come under the wire with the first, because the Victoria will begin the season in this city a week from Monday. This handsome Keith vaudeville house has selected Labor Day as the date of its inauguration of the new season and the selection is a most auspicious one, and will add much to the gala spirit that will sparkle in the air on this holiday.

For over a month the Victoria has been busily engaged upon the opening. Scenic artists, artisans, decorative and others have been at work getting the theatre ready and will place the finishing touches upon their work within the next few days, in ample time for the opening. All the corps of helpers, including the attractively costumed lady others and the fine orchestra, have been engaged and are ready to report for duty, while Manager Peck who will again have charge of the theatre this season for Mr. J. M. Solky, has been engaged not only able management, but perfect and abundant courtesy to all patrons, has been working like a Trojan getting things ready and has also about completed his task. So it can safely be counted on that the Victoria will be all spick-and-span for the opening. A show consisting of the very best Keith acts has been booked to do the honors of opening and the full programme will be announced in a few days. As last season only the headline acts, playing the largest Southern cities, will be presented by the Victoria.

It is interesting to recall that this is only the second season of the Victoria and yet it has taken a firm and affectionate hold on amusement-lovers. It is also interesting to reflect that in the Victoria the people of Wilmington have the handsomest vaudeville theatre in the State, one of the handsomest theatres of any kind in North Carolina and one just as handsome as any in the South. It will be remembered that the Victoria is exclusively a Keith house, meaning that it is associated with the big Keith circuit and therefore has the privilege of getting the cream of vaudeville. This theatre opened just after Christmas of 1913 and presented, with great success, Keith vaudeville up to a few weeks before it closed for the season. The last few weeks were devoted, as a summer experiment, to tabloid musical comedy, but the merits of the shows not meeting the high ideals of the owner and manager of the Victoria, the theatre was closed to be re-opened a week from tomorrow with Keith vaudeville.

The outlook for vaudeville in the United States, especially for the Keith theatres, that have the reach and the money to obtain the greatest, is not at all dismal on account of the war. On the contrary, it is brighter, as the big American vaudeville stars will be compelled to remain at home, while the European stars will be unable to come to this country as a matter of self-defense. Therefore American theatre-goers can expect the greatest of all vaudeville seasons and Wilmington amusement-lovers can confidently anticipate being in on this.

While the Victoria is practically new and therefore improvement would seem unnecessary, yet Mr. J. M. Solky, who is always doing big things in the amusement line and who has launched the biggest amusement projects Wilmington has ever possessed, has made a number of improvements in the theatre, including elevation of the front rows of seats in the parquet, so as to give a better view of the stage to the occupants and yet, at the same time, not in any way obscure the view of those in the middle of the theatre, or in the rear.

Prof. Brown, who so ably conducted the Victoria orchestra last season, has been re-engaged and he will commence to rehearse his orchestra this week. The Victoria orchestra was a big feature last season, being one of the best theatre orchestras ever in the city, and will doubtless prove just as popular this year.

SUN PARLOR COMPLETED.

Women of City Hospital Provided With Comfortable Resting Place.

The combination porch and sun parlor for the public ward for women at James Walker Memorial Hospital has been completed after a delay of several months on account of the inability to secure a part of the necessary material. The cost of the improvement, which has long been needed, was a little over \$1,000 in actual cash. The necessary funds were secured through donations in small amounts from the people of the city by Miss Ella Roberts Swain. The work was done by Mr. Robert Tucker, the contractor.

Realizing the need of this improvement, Miss Swain last spring secured the permission of the board of managers to undertake to raise \$1,000 for this purpose. Mr. J. F. Leitner, the architect, had already made the plans, for which he made no charge. Within a short time the funds were secured and the work would have been finished in time for the porch to have been used all summer, if the material had not been delayed in reaching Wilmington.

The first floor of the porch is an ordinary porch for the use of those occupying the first floor of the hospital. The second floor is a combination sun parlor and porch and is supported by columns of terra cotta. This is surrounded by wainscoting and above this is the ash which can be used in the winter and in the summer also when needed. The glass is arranged so that it can be quickly placed out of the way thus making the porch airy and comfortable. Screens have also been installed to protect the interior from flies and mosquitoes.

Connecting the sun parlor with the public ward for women are large double doors which make it possible for the patients to be rolled out on the porch without being rescued from their beds if they are too ill to sit up. The porch is 12 feet in width and 36 feet in length, extending clear across the northern end of the hospital.

The new improvement was formally inspected by the board of managers yesterday and is already being used by the women of the hospital. It will prove to be a great blessing as well as a comfort to the sick.

CONCERTS AT LUMINA TODAY.

Popular concert afternoon 3:30. Special concert night 8:30. Programme includes selections from "Madame Butterfly," "Rigoletto," "Babes in Toyland," "Egyptienne Ballet Suite"—Advertisement.

MR. J. A. PRICE WILL FIGHT

Takes Position That He Has Been Appointed to Election Board and Will Not Relinquish.

Mr. Jos. A. Price, who, with Mr. H. S. McGirt, was recently advised of his appointment as a member of the County Board of Elections, and both of whom have been since notified that their appointments have been cancelled and Messrs. C. W. Woodward and Eben Finner named in their stead, stated yesterday that he has no intention of relinquishing his place on the board, and that if necessary he will fight the matter out in the courts.

Mr. Price, after consulting a number of attorneys, takes the position that he has been duly appointed as a member of the County Board by the State Board of Elections, that he received his certificate of appointment and was also notified by Mr. Jos. W. Little, chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee, that he had been appointed; that he qualified before the Clerk of the Court for the position, and that he cannot be removed from office except for cause, after charges have been preferred and sustained and he is prepared to stand up for his position.

In this position, Mr. Price will undoubtedly have the backing of the Independent Club, of which organization he is secretary and treasurer, and the thus assuming, in the light of this development, to be a most interesting political problem before it is disposed of.

It is generally admitted in political circles that Mr. Price's appointment was cancelled by the State Board at the instigation of certain citizens here who did not desire the Independent Club to have control of the election board. Mr. William Struthers, Jr., the Republican member of the board, is one of the leaders of the Independent organization, and with Mr. Price on the board with this view, the appointments of the Independent Club figured that that organization would be able to control the body, and in all probability would have named either Mr. Struthers or Mr. Price as chairman. Therefore, it is believed, pressure was brought to bear on the State Board to make the change.

The organization meeting of the County Board of Elections is to be held the first Monday in September, one week from tomorrow, and it promises to be an interesting meeting if Mr. Price sticks to his avowed determination not to yield. Further developments will be awaited by the political public with no small degree of interest.

FOUND BEER IN BASEMENT.

Other Intoxicating Fluids Found and J. B. Neely Is Arrested.

Constable John H. Davis brought quite an assortment of drinkables to Justice Harris' office yesterday afternoon, which he stated he found at No. 133 South Front street, the store at the time he visited it having been in charge of J. B. Neely, a young white man, who, it was ascertained, had been in charge of the store on account of his connection with "No Tax" beer. Upon the information secured by Constable Davis a warrant was sworn out before Justice Harris charging Neely with violating the prohibition law. He gave bond in the sum of \$100 for his appearance Monday for trial.

Constable Davis stated that he found 14 bottles of beer in the basement of the store, entrance to which he effected by breaking the lock. He also found a 20-gallon keg, supposed to contain a good brand of apple cider. Another keg of the same size was about half filled with the same compound. Two jugs of wine were also found in the store, it is stated, besides a number of empty beer bottles. Neely told Constable Davis that he was not the owner of the place, but that George Sarvis, who is now out of the city on a visit, is the owner. Neely said that he was only in charge temporarily, having sold the business to Sarvis some months ago. He protested against the search, especially to the basement. He did not have a key to that part of the store, he said.

MR. WM. T. HARTON DEAD.

Respected Citizen Died at Hospital Night After Long Illness.

Many friends will be deeply grieved to learn of the death of Mr. Wm. T. Harton, which occurred at the James Walker Memorial Hospital last night at 8:15 o'clock. He was 63 years old and had been in failing health for several years. He was a native of Durham but had lived in Wilmington for some time, having been in the city for over 20 years.

Mr. Harton was a member of the First Baptist church and the funeral will be conducted by the pastor of that church, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster. The interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

CHANGE IN LAW NECESSARY.

Local Chamber Submits Suggestions As to Merchant Marine.

The National Chamber of Commerce, which is carrying on an active campaign for the re-establishment of an American merchant marine, has asked the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce as representing a seaport city, to submit suggestions as to the matter, which is now being considered in official circles in Washington.

In response the local Chamber has wired the National organization as follows: "Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America, Washington, D. C. We approve of the policy of the Government in providing temporary war insurance to American cargoes."

"For a permanent rehabilitation of the American merchant marine, changes in the navigation laws are necessary looking to equality of costs with foreign navigation laws. Nothing short of removal of restrictions in respect to salaries of wages, dietary and crew will enable our ships to compete with foreign carrying trade."

The new improvement was formally inspected by the board of managers yesterday and is already being used by the women of the hospital. It will prove to be a great blessing as well as a comfort to the sick.

Reported Cut in Wages.

Unconfirmed reports reaching the city yesterday were to the effect that 400 men will be affected by a cut in wages which the Waccamaw Land & Lumber Company, with headquarters at Bolton, has announced as effective September 1st. It was said that the reduction would amount to about 15 per cent, and would apply to all in the employ of the company, the clerical staff as well as the men in the mills and woods.

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The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company

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Capital and Surplus - - - - - \$400,000.00

Resources - - - - - \$2,500,000.00

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BUY FURNITURE

And Pray For Peace

Furniture will at least make an American home peaceful and happy. We have a few sets of Haviland China left that we will sell next week at \$30.00, specially imported from France, and stock of this quality of china is mighty low in this country.

Our dining-room furniture is complete in Mahogany, Fumed Oak, Golden Oak odd pieces, and Early English.

WE ARE RECEIVING OUR NEW STOCK OF RUGS, AND CAN GIVE YOU THE MOST ATTRACTIVE DESIGNS, AND THE BEST QUALITY FOR THE PRICES SOUTH OF RICHMOND.

See our Bed-room Furniture in Golden Oak, Mahogany, White Enamel, Old Ivory and Birds' Eye Maple. The best assortment we have ever had, from \$35.00 a suit to \$300.00. Let us show you.

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Our new line of Comforts and Blankets have arrived.

We are agents for Edison Phonographs. The talking machine with a diamond point needle that never has to be changed, and we can tell you of its manifold advantages over everything else that has ever been made in this line. "You must" remember that quality remains a long time after price is forgotten." There never was an Edison talking machine, and that "one thing" is "an American Baby." We want to show you these machines, and have you hear the records. Next week will be a special week on Stoves and Ranges.

DO NOT FORGET "That we sell it for less," and that we've got 'em, "Everything from a Teaspoon to a Piano."

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Ida Creeley, of Philadelphia, Pa., is visiting her brother, Mr. J. T. Creeley, No. 215 Ann street.

Mrs. Sarah Cowen, of Ashton, N. C., is visiting her niece, Mrs. G. H. Davis, at No. 719 North Third street.

At the B. Y. P. U. service at the First Baptist church tonight, Miss Margaret Beery will play "Narcissus," by Nevin.

Miss Annie Bell Dagenhart has returned from Hamlet, where she has been visiting friends for several weeks.

Mrs. E. L. Brown and two daughters, of Petersburg, Va., are the guests of Mrs. H. F. Crow, on North Third street.

The Benevolent Society of the Catherine Kennedy Home will meet at the Home Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Gaston D. Thares and son, Ed Long, of Jacksonville, Fla., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blomme, No. 417 Campbell street.

Miss Dora Shepard and brother, Mr. Walter Shepard, of Rocky Point, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Scott, No. 318 North Fourth street.

Misses Annie Futch, Elizabeth Gardner and Lillian Hill have just returned to the city after spending some time in Asheville and other points in Western North Carolina.

Miss Mattie Peden left yesterday afternoon for Rocky Point, where she will visit her mother until Wednesday, then going to Goldsboro to spend several days with relatives.

Mrs. E. V. McKensie has returned from a visit of two months to Mrs. L. F. Furness, Phoebus, Va. While away Mrs. McKensie also visited friends in Washington, D. C., and other northern cities.

The following passengers sailed for New York on the Clyde Line steamship Navahoe yesterday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Olsen, Mrs. F. K. Harper and Messrs. B. O'Neal and C. E. Cline.

Misses Carrie Lamb and Pinkle Dew, of Currie, N. C., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Lamb, No. 530 McRae street. They will spend several weeks visiting relatives and friends, before returning to their homes.

Rev. W. E. Cox, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, left yesterday morning for Houston, Tex., where he will spend a few days with Mrs. Cox, who is visiting there, and then go to Knoxville, Tenn., to spend a short vacation.

Misses Annie and Emma Lee Hudson delightedly entertained the Mutual Club Friday evening at their home on Walnut street. All of the members were present. After a business meeting a course of delicious refreshments were served.

The Epworth League of Fifth Street Methodist church will hold its regular monthly business meeting Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of the church. All members are urged to be present as officers for the ensuing year are to be elected.

There will be special music at Grace church today. Mrs. G. N. Spavin will render a solo at the morning service, and at the evening service Miss Julia R. Culbreth, director of voice at Carolina College, Maxton, N. C., will sing the offertory solo.

Misses Virginia Munn and Annie Hudson and Messrs. J. M. C. Williamson and J. A. Munn, Jr., have returned from a week's trip to White Lake, where they had a delightful time attending a house party and enjoying fishing and boating on the lake.

Miss Annie and Mary Shepard, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shepard, left Saturday morning for Saluda, N. C., where they will spend several weeks. They will also visit Asheville and other Western North Carolina points before returning home.

Mr. W. C. Peterson, Jr., who has been spending his vacation at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Peterson, Sr., left Friday morning for Charlottesville, Va., where he will spend several days. He will also visit other points in the mountains of Virginia before resuming his studies in medicine.

Wilmington musical circles are to have quite an addition this winter in the coming of Miss Pauline Crumb, violinist, pupil of the Cincinnati College of Music and lineal descendant musically of Spohr and David. Miss Crumb has been teaching in Cincinnati for several years, concertizing in the East during the summer, and coming to Wilmington for a winter in the South. She has a very attractive personality as well as unusual ability as a violinist and teacher.

At his home, No. 604 North Fifth street, Friday afternoon from 4 to 6:30 o'clock, Master Joseph Stone celebrated his eighth birthday. The little folks in attendance were: Robert Henry, Robert Hobbs, Henry and Dot Griffin, Agnes and Helen Strain and Agnes Brown. Master Stone was assisted in entertaining his guests by his cousin, Miss Freda Hughes, of Florence, S. C. Ice cream, cake and lemonade were served. All had a most delightful afternoon.

Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, returned yesterday from his vacation, which was spent with friends and relatives in New York state, and will occupy his pulpit at both the morning and evening service. Mrs. Clausen and children were with him, but preferring to make the trip by water sailed from New York yesterday on the Clyde liner Cherokee. Mr. Clausen has been greatly refreshed by his rest and undertakes his work for the coming year under most auspicious circumstances.

HOUSEWIVES' CONVENTION. ELECTIONS OFFICERS; ADJOURNS. Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 28.—The North Carolina Housewives' Convention adjourned a three day annual session at Meredith College yesterday afternoon, following the election of the following officers: President—Mrs. J. G. Boylin, of Wadesboro. Vice President—Mrs. John W. Robinson, of Catawba county. Secretary—Miss Carrie Hudgins.

At the session yesterday there was an address by Mrs. D. H. Winslow on the relations of roads to the children, and another by Mrs. Dr. Della Dixon-Carroll, on how to feed children in their second year. Mrs. McKimmon discussed the plans for starting

ing canning clubs in the counties, and Miss Louise Mahler gave a demonstration in cooking.

There will be a number of interesting musical features at the First Baptist church today. Mr. Ernest Cavanna will be organist and Mr. James Willison will be concertist at the meeting of the Business Men's Bible Class at 9:45 A. M. Miss Julia Culbreth, director of the voice department of Carolina College, will sing "O, Divine Redeemer," by Dudley Buck, at the morning service of the church. The regular church quartette will also sing at this service. At the evening service, by request of Miss Annie Chasten, the choir of St. James' church will sing, and Mr. William G. Robertson, organist at St. James', will preside at the organ. The choir will sing "Bless Ye the Lord," by Roberts, and "Hark, Hark, My Soul," by Shelley.

EX-JUDGE W. S. O'B. ROBINSON. WEDS MISS ANNIE W. PIERCE. Asheville, N. C., Aug. 28.—There was celebrated here Wednesday afternoon the wedding of former Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson, of Goldsboro, and Miss Annie W. Pierce, of the happy event. The ceremony took place at the home of Judge and Mrs. Jeter C. Pritchard, on Chestnut street, Father Marlon officiating. The wedding was at 1 o'clock and present were only close friends and relatives. Following the ceremony Judge and Mrs. Pritchard entertained the entire wedding party at a buffet luncheon. After this Judge and Mrs. Robinson left for a two-weeks visit at Lake Toxaway and will then return to Grove Park Inn for a short stay. They will make their home at Goldsboro.

Among those who were present at the wedding were Mrs. Pierce, the mother of the bride, Judge and Mrs. Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Rollins, Miss Lula Moore, Asheville; Miss Annie Travis, Raleigh; Mr. Robinson, Greensboro, a son of Judge Robinson, and Mr. Joseph Robinson, of Washington, D. C., a brother; Mrs. Mark W. Brown, Mr. James C. Martin and Mr. McKinley Pritchard.

ON AN OCEAN STEAMSHIP.

The Omaha, Neb., Daily News of August 28th, contained the following reference of Miss Mildred Smith, of this city, and Mr. Walter Lyford Griffith, of Omaha, Neb., which will be of interest to many friends here and elsewhere:

"The announcement of the engagement of Miss Mildred McRary Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Herbert Smith, of Wilmington, N. C., and Mr. Walter Lyford Griffith, son of Mr. and Mrs. John William Griffith, of this city, is the culmination of a pretty romance which started four years ago. 'Miss' and 'Mr. Griffith' and their son, Walter, went abroad four years ago, and on the same boat with them were Mrs. Smith and her daughter, Miss Mildred. After a pleasant voyage they decided to travel together and spent the summer in Europe.

"Two years ago Mrs. Smith and her daughter, Miss Mildred, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Griffith, and at that time there were many affairs given for them.

"Since the visit to Omaha the engagement followed, and it is now with much delight that friends are looking forward to the coming of this little eastern bride-to-be to Omaha to make her home. She has been a great favorite with the Griffiths, and she will spend much time in church work.

"Mr. Griffith is a graduate of the Nebraska University Law School and was in the class of 1913.

"The wedding will take place in November and many affairs are being planned for them during the holidays."

At the time of the ocean voyage referred to in the foregoing article Miss Smith was a student of the National Cathedral School at Washington, D. C., and did not make her debut in society until the following winter.

Miss Smith is now at Buena Vista Springs, Pa., with Miss Rowe Wiggins and Mrs. Graham Kenan. Miss Elise Smith, who will be her sister's maid of honor, and who returned from Paris, where she has been in school for the past year, early last month on the Vesterland with Mrs. H. M. Flieger and Mrs. Pembroke Jones, is also at Buena Vista.

Mrs. Jesse Wise and Miss Louise Wise are expected soon at Buena Vista from Genoa, Italy, to join Mrs. Kenan and the Misses Smith.

The wedding will take place the latter part of November or in December, the day not having been decided upon as yet.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. D. GeBolt, of Bolton, spent yesterday in the city on business.

—Mr. C. B. Newcomb left last night for Washington, D. C., to spend a few days on business.

—Mr. Geo. E. Haskett left last evening for Kingston, to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

—Mr. A. D. Rich, general manager of the Storch-Bancroft-Rich Co., left last night for Galveston, Texas, on a business visit.

—The many friends of Mr. Fred Devere are glad to see him out again after an operation for appendicitis at Harper's Sanatorium. He is rapidly gaining in strength and hopes to be himself again very soon.

—Messrs. A. C. Smith, of Savannah, Ga., and W. S. Smith, of Washington, D. C., who were called to Wilmington on account of the illness and subsequent death of their father, Rev. James A. Smith, expect to return to their homes tonight.

—Messrs. W. J. Harn, of Monroe, W. J. Troubleshoot, of Sumter, S. C., and W. O. Johnson, of Durham, traveling salesmen for Einstein Bros., were in the city yesterday to attend the annual outing of the members of the firm and their employees.

—Mr. J. W. Bass, who, while asleep Wednesday night stepped from a window on the second floor to the ground below, suffering serious injuries, is reported to be getting along nicely at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where he was taken for treatment.

Church Directory

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor—Morning service 11 o'clock. Sunday school 9:45 A. M. Wednesday prayer meeting 8 o'clock. Rev. G. T. Adams, of the Fifth Street Methodist church will preach at the morning service. Young people's meeting at 8 o'clock. Rev. H. M. Baker will preach at the Pearsall Memorial church.

St. Matthew's Ev. Lutheran church, Rev. G. W. McClanahan, pastor—Morning service 11 o'clock, subject: "Christ Our Perfect Example." Evening service 8 o'clock, subject: "Praise Service." Sunday school 10 A. M. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening 8 o'clock. Everybody most cordially invited to all services.

Seventh-Day Adventist church meets in the Junior Order Hall at 22 1-2 South Front street. The regular Sabbath services are held Saturday morning, Sabbath school 10 o'clock and preaching service at 11 o'clock. On Sunday night Evangelist Carlyle B. Haynes, who has just returned from the camp meeting and conference at Greensboro, will deliver an address on the war situation in Europe, "The Millennium: Is Armageddon Near?" All are invited.

Fifth street M. E. church, Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor—Rev. H. W. Koelling of St. Andrew's will preach at 8 o'clock A. M., the pastor will preach at 8 P. M. Everyone cordially invited.

Calvary Baptist church, corner of Fourth and Brunswick streets, Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor—Services Sunday 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sermon subjects, morning, "Wouldst Thou be Spoken For to the King?" night, "Success May Succeed Failure." Junior B. Y. P. U. 10 A. M. Deacons' meeting 4:30 P. M. Prayers meeting Wednesday night, Senior B. Y. P. U. Thursday night. A cordial welcome to all services.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Market and Fifth streets, Rev. P. B. Clausen, pastor—Services at 11 A. M., conducted by the pastor. Topic of sermon: "I Fear No Evil With Thee at Hand to Bless." Sunday school at 10 A. M. A cordial welcome awaits all visitors upon our services.

St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, Fifth and Ann streets—First mass, 7 A. M. Last mass 10:30 A. M. No evening service. Grace Methodist church, corner of Grace and Fourth streets, Rev. J. D. Bundy, pastor—Preaching services 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the pastor, Sunday school 9:45 A. M. by Rev. J. D. Allen, supt. Prayer service 8 P. M. Wednesday. Epworth League meeting Friday 8 P. M. Everybody invited to all these services.

Trinity Methodist church, corner of Ninth and Market streets—Sunday school 9:45 A. M. Preaching services 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the Rev. Philip Greening.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, 16th and Market streets—Sunday school 9:45 A. M. Morning prayer at 11 o'clock. You are welcomed.

The Christian Science Society services are held in the church edifice, corner 17th and Market street, Sunday at 11 A. M. Lesson sermon: "Christ Jesus." Sunday school is held immediately at the close of the morning service. Wednesday evening services at 8:15 P. M. The reading room adjoining the church building is open to the public during the week, from 3:30 to 5:30 P. M. The public is cordially invited to attend both the services and the reading room.

First Baptist church, corner Fifth and Market streets, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor. Worship at 11 A. M. Subject, "The Holy War." 8 P. M. "The World Getting Better." B. Y. P. U. at 7 P. M. Everybody cordially invited.

Recent arrivals at the Hanover Inn are Mrs. W. L. Brisey and Mrs. H. O. Wallace, of Anderson, S. C., and R. E. Whitaker, Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Rosa Owen McDavid, a charming young lady of Birmingham, Ala., arrived yesterday, and will be the guest of Miss Kate Northrop at her cottage on the beach.

Miss Chanler and Mr. West danced the "La Diene," which is a most artistic dance. In response to the encore they received they repeated the "Pavlova Gavotte," one of their greatest successes.

The "Balloon Hour" at Lumina last night proved to be a decided success. In spite of the inclement weather there was a large crowd present. There were many who took part in the dances while a great many found pleasure in watching the hundreds of tiny balloons that were liberated.

Among those registered at the Seashore Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vann, Birmingham; Mrs. T. T. Williams, and children, Miss Elizabeth High and Mr. James Goodrum, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. J. J. Dean, and children, Athens, Ga.; Miss M. R. Robinson, Newnan, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Vickers, Chicago; W. P. Hall, Philadelphia; Julian C. Smith, High Point; L. F. Edwards, Athens, Ga.; Miss Sallie Price, Rocky Mount; A. C. Schwartzstein, S. J. Schwartzstein, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. L. Brown McKoy, Charlotte; and Mrs. R. H. McKoy, Charleston, W. Va.

ATTRACTIVE CONCERTS.

Selections from "AT LUMINA TODAY." Butterflies, "Babes in Toyland," and the "Egyptienne Ballet Suite" are among the numbers included in the excellent program that Mr. Richardson has prepared for the concert to be given at Lumina tonight. Those who enjoy good music should attend this concert, which promises to be one of the best of the season. Next Sunday will be the last opportunity this season to hear concerts by Richardson's orchestra, as he will close his engagement for the season at Lumina on Labor Day. Following is the complete program for the concert to be given tonight:

Chanson Joyeuse (March) H. Ravina
Valse Francaise Geehl
Babes in Toyland (request) Victor Herbert
Rigoletto (selection) G. Verdi
Airs of Our Country Arr. R. Becker
Ballet Egyptienne Suite A. Luigini
Cavatina J. Raff
Madame Butterfly (opera) Puccini

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Suit Coat Lengths in Variety

This characteristic also applies to fabrics and manner of make-up of garments.

Variety seems to be the keynote in suit styles this season and variety not only in fabrics but in the make-up of the garments themselves.

Suit coats are in many different lengths and in many different styles, the lengths varying all the way from 28 to 48 inches.

In interesting fashion note is found in the fact that tailored suits are more close-fitting than they have been.

A great many fancy suits are more loose-fitting and some of the new ones are made in Cape effects.

Generally the capes are attached to the garment by buttons so that they can be removed when desired.

Another tendency is greater fullness in the skirts of the suit jackets.

A majority of suit jackets are made in cutaway effect.

The Eton front and the long cutaway back is a familiar and well-liked style.

Another style is the long front and back and follows the Redingote style.

Collars are, for the most part, high. The long Russian tunic is a feature of the suit skirts.

The pleated tunic is likely to be good and so is the tunic mounted on a yoke.

The longer waist line is a fashion feature worthy of careful attention.

Sometimes this longer waist line is secured through the manipulation of the material, at other times through the placing of the belt or sash.

The tendency continues towards dark colors and towards black.

Navy is going to be good, a variety of browns and several shades of green. The New Suits are arriving.

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AMERICAN

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	40	39	.507
Boston	38	49	.437
Washington	31	55	.359
Detroit	26	60	.300
Chicago	23	63	.265
St. Louis	22	64	.256
New York	21	65	.244
Cleveland	20	66	.233

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Washington, 1; Chicago, 2.
At New York, 6; Detroit, 5.
At Philadelphia, 2; Cleveland, 1.
At Boston-St. Louis, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

No games scheduled.

ATHLETICS WIN OUT IN BIG PITCHERS' BATTLE.

Philadelphia, Aug. 29.—Bush and Mitchell had a twirling duel this afternoon, Philadelphia defeating Cleveland 2 to 1. The winning run was scored in the ninth inning on Collins' single, Baker's sacrifice and McInnis' score.

Cleveland . . . 010 000 0001 8 1
Philadelphia . . . 000 000 101—2 6 1
Mitchell and O'Neill; Bush and Schang.

MIGHTY WALTER JOHNSON GETS ANOTHER DEFEAT.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Walter Johnson suffered another defeat at the hands of a young pitcher when, with Wolfgang in the box, Chicago beat Washington 2 to 1.

Chicago . . . 000 000 200—2 7 0
Washington . . . 000 000 001—1 8 0
Wolfgang and Schalk; Johnson and Williams.

TANKS DOWN TIGERS; CHANCE IS EXPELLED.

New York, Aug. 29.—In a game prolific in extra base hitting, New York defeated Detroit today 6 to 5. Manager Chance and Umpire Hildebrand became involved in an argument over a soiled ball in the eighth inning. The umpire placed it in the New York ball bag but Chance took it out and threw it into the outfield. He was ordered off the field.

Detroit . . . 001 001 030—5 9 3
New York . . . 113 100 007—6 10 1
Coveleskie and Stanage; Warhop, Fisher and Nuneemaker.

THEATRICAL

Yes, there's still bigger surprises in store for patrons of the popular Joy spot of Wilmington, the only place of solid comfort during this heated spell when every other place in the city is sweltering and sweating. The Bijou has more money invested in fans and ventilation apparatus than any other theatre in the city, if not in the State, and an even temperature can always be maintained by a careful manipulation of these features.

But, the show for the coming week is our main subject. Undoubtedly one of the biggest week's programs ever booked at any movie is shown in the Bijou's large advertisement elsewhere in this paper. It's a bill full of big and new features, costly, it is true, but the Bijou was there that has the coin and didn't mind spending it to get the very newest, biggest and best for their patrons. Just turn a few pages and look at the lay-out.

Tomorrow's big bill—five reels—will beat anything else within several hundred miles of the Bijou. It is headed by the second and concluding part of "The Voice of the Telephone" that vivid and thrilling drama which was shown last week. This is in two full reels. This installment shows the operation of "The Third Degree" used by the police in forcing confessions from criminals, and is replete with sudden and unexpected climaxes and situations. Second comes a big Victor drama with no less a star in the leading role than Jack Warren Kerrigan, idol of all movie lovers.

At the Grand This Week.
Every day this week should be a jam at the popular, handsome Grand Theatre, and it will be. A case in point is the big advertisement announcement of the Grand on another page of today's Star will show the big things, the most wonderful of the Grand and which Wilmington has never known, this theatre leader will present this week. At little close observation of the announcement will make people wonder at the enterprise of the Grand and the big expense incurred in order to afford them the best in the moving picture world. Every day, starting off tomorrow in most glorious style, will be feature day at the Grand, while two days will be devoted to "Extraordinary Features." By way of illustration, Tuesday a costly, mammoth and brilliant six-reel will be presented, much talked of "A Princess of Bagdad," with the noted actress, Miss Helen Gardner, in the title role. It is the most sumptuous film production ever made and it will fascinate, startle and mystify. It is the newest thing in an Arabian Night story and is presented on a gigantic scale. Don't forget to take all the children to witness this big 6-part film which will be the special order of the day Tuesday at the Grand.

Wednesday there will be a great surprise bill, and Thursday will be offered the great dramatic success, "Hewitt's Millions," and who hasn't heard of this wonderful New York hit, that ran for so long on Broadway?

NATIONAL

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	62	50	.554
Boston	62	51	.549
St. Louis	64	56	.533
Chicago	61	58	.512
Cincinnati	61	58	.512
Brooklyn	63	62	.505
Philadelphia	61	61	.500
Pittsburgh	62	63	.495

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Chicago, 1; New York, 0.
2nd: Chicago, 5; New York, 7.
At Pittsburgh, 1; Brooklyn, 0.
2nd: Pittsburgh, 4; Brooklyn, 5.
At St. Louis, 0; Boston, 4.
2nd: St. Louis, 4; Boston, 6.
At Cincinnati, 6; Philadelphia, 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Philadelphia at Cincinnati.

New York at Chicago.

Boston at St. Louis.

Cubs and Giants divide.

Spectacular double bill.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Chicago and New York divided a doubleheader here today, the locals winning the first game 1 to 0 and losing the second 5 to 7.

Johnston, the locals' utility second baseman, made three errors in the second game, which aided the visitors.

In the seventh Chicago scored four runs by bunting hits. Humphries and the bases filled in the opening inning and then hit Grant forcing in the first run. Robertson in the third got a home run. In the next inning the visitors scored three on a double, a single, a pass and two of Johnston's fumbles.

The visitors got the winning run in the fifth on Snodgrass' single, his steal or second and Doyle's double. Chicago scored its first run in the fourth, when Saer got a home run, his 16th of the season. During the second game the crowd became unmanageable and the game was stopped 15 minutes while police reserves were summoned to the park.

A double by Saer, Zimmerman and Schulte's single scored for Chicago the only run of the first game. Vaughn permitted not a champion beyond second game. Archer's throwing caught three New Yorkers trying to steal and nipped another off first base.

New York . . . 000 000 000—0 6 0
Chicago . . . 000 100 00X—1 4 0
Marquard and Meyers; Vaughn and Archer.

Second game:
New York . . . 101 310 010—7 11 1
Chicago . . . 000 100 400—5 8 4
Mathewson and Meyers; Humphries, Zabel and Brennan.

BRAVES TAKE BOTH GAMES GOING INTO SECOND PLACE.

St. Louis, Aug. 29.—St. Louis dropped to third place in the race for the National League pennant by losing two games to Boston today.

In the first game inability of St. Louis to hit James and timely batting by Boston gave the visitors the contest 4 to 0. An eighth inning rally gave the second game to Boston 6 to 4. Boston going into second place. The second game was called at the end of the eighth because of darkness.

Boston . . . 000 100 012—4 5 1
St. Louis . . . 000 000 000—0 4 1
James and Gowdy; Perritt, Griner and Wingo.

Second game:
Boston . . . 001 100 04—6 5 0
St. Louis . . . 000 202 00—4 7 5
Hawley, Crutcher, Strand and Gowdy; Doak, Sallee and Snyder.

PIRATES AND DODGERS DIVIDE BARGAIN BILL.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 29.—Egan's fumble of Wagner's grounder, Wagner's steal of second and McArt's single gave Pittsburgh a 1 to 0 victory in the 13th inning of the first game of a double header today. Brooklyn won the second game 5 to 4 by making long hits at opportune times. The first game was a pitcher's battle between Mamaux and Pfeffer with the former having the better of it. Catcher Gibson was put out of the game for disputing a decision in the sixth inning of the first contest.

Brooklyn . . . 000 000 000—0 10 1
Pittsburgh . . . 000 000 000—1 12 0
Pfeffer and McArt; Mamaux and Gibson, Coleman and Kafer.

Second game:
Brooklyn . . . 120 002 000—5 9 3
Pittsburgh . . . 101 000 020—4 6 1
Ragan and McArt; Cooper, Adams and Coleman.

OESCHGER HIT HARD PHILLIPS LOSE TO REDS.

Cincinnati, Aug. 29.—Cincinnati won from Philadelphia today by bunting hits. Oeschger was hit hard, three singles off him with a sacrifice hit and a sacrifice fly being good for three runs.

Philadelphia . . . 000 000 020—2 9 1
Cincinnati . . . 001 000 23X—6 9 1
Mayer, Oeschger and Doolin; Ames and Gonzales.

SALLY SEASON CLOSES.

Albany and Savannah start Post Season Series Tomorrow.

Savannah, Aug. 29.—The South Atlantic League's 11th season closed today, but the championship will not be decided until next week when Savannah, the winner of the first half season pennant, meets Albany, winner of the second half season. Those two teams are to play seven games beginning Monday. The league pennant goes to the winner of the post series.

Donations to Kennedy Home.
The following donations were made to the Catherine Kennedy Home during the month of August: Mr. Wilder, sugar and watermelons; Mrs. Bagley, groceries; Mrs. Parton, magazines; Mrs. Everett, sugar; Mr. Robert Montgomery, cantaloupes; Mrs. Taylor, pickles; Mrs. Little, bell flowers; Mrs. Schloss, ice cream; Mrs. Clayton, magazines; Independent Ice Co., ice daily; Messrs. R. R. Bellamy and J. Hicks Bunting, drugs; a friend, \$5; Mrs. Wilder, pears and sugar.

Concerts at Lumina Today.

Popular concert afternoon 3:30. Special concert night 8:30. Programme includes selections from "Madame Butterfly," "Rigoletto," "Babes in Toyland," "Egyptienne Ballet Suite"—Advertisement.

FEDERAL

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Indianapolis	46	50	.569
Chicago	46	51	.557
Baltimore	40	53	.531
Buffalo	40	53	.531
Brooklyn	37	56	.504
Kansas City	35	62	.470
St. Louis	32	65	.444
Pittsburgh	27	65	.430

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At St. Louis, 6; Chicago, 1.
At Kansas City, 8; Indianapolis, 3.
At Baltimore, 9; Pittsburgh, 2.
At Brooklyn, 4; Buffalo, 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Indianapolis at Kansas City.

Chicago at St. Louis.

Brooklyn again ties.

Buffalo Federals.

Brooklyn, Aug. 29.—Brooklyn again tied Buffalo in the Federal League standing by winning today 4 to 1.

Brooklyn took three out of four games from Buffalo. LaFitte's timely hitting today was responsible for three of the runs.

Buffalo . . . 001 000 000—1 9 0
Brooklyn . . . 000 001 30X—4 5 0
Schulz and Blair; LaFitte and Land.

ST. LOUIS BLANKED THE CHIEFS TEN TO NOTHING.

St. Louis, Aug. 29.—In the eighth inning Misses scored on a single to right by Tobin and Plack's fumble and St. Louis defeated Chicago 1 to 0.

Chicago . . . 000 000 000—0 6 2
St. Louis . . . 000 000 01X—1 9 0
Prendergast and Wilson; Davenport and Simon.

PITTSBURG WON FIRST; RAIN STOPPED SECOND.

Baltimore, Aug. 29.—Pittsburgh won from Baltimore today 2 to 0, in what was to have been the first part of a double header. Rain stopped the game at the end of the seventh inning.

Pittsburgh . . . 110 000—2 3 0
Baltimore . . . 000 000—0 5 0
Barger and Kerr; Bailey and Russell.

KANSAS CITY WON FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Kansas City, Aug. 29.—Two bases on balls, an infield out and three hits, one a triple by Kruger, scored five runs for Kansas City in the sixth and accomplished the defeat of Indianapolis 5 to 3.

Indianapolis . . . 102 000 000—3 7 0
Kansas City . . . 100 005 02X—8 9 0
Mooney Whitehouse and Rariden; Packard and Easterly.

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Birmingham	78	54	.591
New Orleans	73	55	.570
Atlanta	67	57	.540
Mobile	71	61	.537
Nashville	68	58	.540
Chattanooga	63	68	.483
Memphis	66	75	.468
Montgomery	46	87	.348

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Albany	39	21	.650
Charleston	38	23	.620
Columbus	33	28	.541
Savannah	30	29	.509
Augusta	29	32	.476
Columbia	27	36	.429
Macon	24	33	.421
Jacksonville	22	39	.361

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Norfolk	40	22	.645
Roanoke	31	25	.554
Richmond	29	29	.500
Petersburg	28	28	.500
Newport News	26	24	.520
Portsmouth	22	34	.393

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Durham	68	42	.618
Charlotte	65	48	.576
Winston	61	44	.581
Raleigh	44	65	.404
Greensboro	42	65	.393
Asheville	46	75	.380

STAGS DOWN IMMANUELS; TIGERS TRIM DELGADO.

Two Exciting and Interesting Games in Independent League.

Two bank-up exhibitions of the National postime were pulled off at Hilton in the Independent League yesterday afternoon.

The first game was won by the Tigers over the Delgado Sluggers by a one run lead. The second game was a ten-inning affair between the "Stags" and the Immanuel, the former coming out with the big end.

Snakenberg and Burkhead held down the prominent positions for the Stags, while Mathers and Todd did battery duty for the Immanuel. Snakenberg's remarkable pitching was the deciding feature of the game, he allowing two hits only in ten innings, one of which was of the scratch variety. The final tally, arrived at after ten innings of deliberations, was two to one.

Six window shades, slightly soiled, at Polvogt's five-day sale for 15c.—Advertisement.

GIANTS DOWN BRIGADE INFANTRY THE Y.M.C.A.

Giants Now Have Lead of 100 Points.

Good Crowds Witnessed Bang-Up Exhibitions As Race Draws to Close and Becomes Exciting.

Results Yesterday.

Giants, 6; Boys' Brigade, 2.
W. L. L. 6; Y. M. C. A. 0.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Giants	7	7	.500
Y. M. C. A.	7	7	.500
Boys' Brigade	6	9	.400

Two good games were played at Sunset Park yesterday, the closeness of the race for the pennant drawing a large crowd. All the men were keyed to the highest pitch, as every game now means winning or losing the coveted rag.

The Giants and Brigade started things off. Blue was on the mound for the Brigade and Holt for the Giants.

Blue allowed nine hits in his case in the box, most of them scratch hits, and struck out seven batters. Errors behind him let in all the runs scored. He was relieved by Huhn in the eighth inning. Holt allowed six hits and fanned two.

The W. L. L. put it over the Association boys to the tune of six to 0. Green and Shaw were the opposing slubmen. The Y. M. C. A. lost the game on errors. Lewis was hit on the finger and had to retire, Buck going behind the bat. He seemed to have difficulty in holding Green's splitter and Stewart relieved him in the sixth inning. Green allowed two hits in the five innings he worked and fanned seven. Stewart allowed two hits. Shaw pitched good ball throughout and was touched for only two hits.

First Game.

	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Andrews, 1 f . . .	5 1 1 0 0 0 1
Shepard, 3-b . . .	4 0 2 2 0 0 0
Burnett, R. 1-b . . .	3 0 0 8 1 1 1
Morton, s. s. . . .	4 0 0 2 5 0 0
Huhn, 2-b	3 1 2 3 0 0 0
Litgen, r. f.	2 0 0 1 1 0 0
Burnett, C.	3 0 1 1 7 4 0
Bergen, c. f.	4 0 0 0 0 0 1
Bethen, 2-b	4 1 0 7 1 0 0
Register, H. 2-b . . .	1 0 0 1 0 0 0
Total	2 6 24 15 4

Summary.

Two base hits: Andrews, Davis. Stolen bases: Morton, Litgen. Base on balls: Holt 2, Blue 1. Hit by pitched ball: none. Struck out: Holt 2, Bell 7. Passed balls: none. Sacrifice hits: Shepard, Litgen, Huhn, R. Burnett. Double plays: Litgen to R. Burnett, Bethen to Davis.

Second Game.

	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Hines, s. s.	3 1 0 0 0 0 0
Smith, c. f.	3 0 0 1 0 0 0
Boswell, r. f.	3 0 1 0 0 0 0
Terry, 1-b	2 0 2 0 0 0 0
Alderman, 1 f . . .	3 1 1 2 1 1 1
Shaw, 3-b	2 1 0 0 0 0 1
Bell, B. c.	2 1 0 5 0 0 0
Houston, 2-b	3 0 0 0 4 0 0
Shaw, H. p.	2 0 0 1 1 0 0
Total	6 4 15 6 2

Summary.

Two base hits: Terry, Boswell. Stolen bases: none. Struck out: Green 1, Shaw 4. Sacrifice hits: none. Base on balls: Green 3, Shaw 3. Double play: Shaw to Terry. Passed balls: Buck (2).

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

North Carolina League.

At Greensboro, 3; Durham, 5.
At Charlotte, 2; Raleigh, 2.
At Asheville, 4; Winston, 4. (11 innings.)

Virginia League.

At Newport News, 1; Richmond, 4.
2nd: Newport News, 3; Richmond, 2.
At Portsmouth, 1; Norfolk, 0.
2nd: Portsmouth, 3; Norfolk, 9.
At Roanoke, 2; Petersburg, 3.
2nd: Roanoke, 3; Petersburg, 1.

Southern League.

At Montgomery-Chatanooga, rain.
At Mobile-Nashville, rain.
At New Orleans, 3; Atlanta, 0.
2nd: New Orleans, 1; Atlanta, 3.
At Birmingham, 3; Memphis, 0.

South Atlantic League.

At Jacksonville, 12; Macon, 3.
2nd: Jacksonville, 3; Macon, 1.
At Columbus-Albany, rain.
At Columbia, 8; Augusta, 12.
At Savannah, 4; Charleston, 9.

International League.

At Buffalo 12-7; Jersey City, 7-1.
At Rochester, 0-1; Providence, 2-0.
Others postponed, rain.

American Association.

At Indianapolis, 10-9; Milwaukee, 2-0.
At Columbus, 7-9; Minneapolis, 5-1.
At Louisville, 11; Kansas City, 6.
At Cleveland-St. Paul, rain.

Concerts at Lumina Today.

Popular concert afternoon 3:30. Special concert night 8:30. Programme includes selections from "Madame Butterfly," "Rigoletto," "Babes in Toyland," "Egyptienne Ballet Suite"—Advertisement.

Delicious Concord Grapes—Phone 131—Advertisement.

October Houses For Rent

Following is list of Houses and Apartments that we offer for rent from October First. Cut out this list, and let us give you full and definite information. Also show you the property.

No. 10 South Eighth street (3 doors south of corner 8th and Market sts.); comfortable, roomy seven room house, with all conveniences. Will be put in good order to suit tenant.

No. 414 Dock street; comfortable house, central location, with all conveniences, 8 rooms; very low price.

No. 720 Market street (corner 8th); comfortable house, large enough for one or two families; 2 bath rooms; in good condition; very reasonable rent.

No. 401 South Sixth street, on car line; modern improvements; a comfortable home.

No. 419 South Front street, for rent as it now is, or will be divided into two apartments of five rooms each. Call and see drawing.

No. 615 Orange street; nice house; practically new; on car line; 7 rooms.

No. 103 South Second street (next to S. E. cor. 2nd and Dock); 7 rooms; low price.

LUMBERTON NEWS AND
GOSSIP OF THE WEEKRobeson Progressives Put
Ticket in the Field.

Endorse Two Present Democratic Officers—Teachers' Institute Closes.
State Bank to Nationalize.
Long River Trip.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Lumberton, N. C., Aug. 29.—The teachers' institute for this county, which had been in session for two weeks, closed yesterday, and it may be stated that it was the most largely attended of any ever held in Robeson county. All who attended the institute seemed to be here for business and not for pleasure. More than one man, some of them with grey heads, wished they were school boys again. Just about 100 lady teachers were here during the institute.

The Progressives held another meeting here Wednesday, the number in attendance being very small, consisting mostly of men. The speakers were C. B. Skipper, clerk of the court, and G. E. Rancke, coroner, both Democrats, were endorsed by the Progressives. The balance of their list of speakers is as follows: Senate, D. B. Humphrey; House, V. H. Taylor and J. W. Hall; sheriff, H. M. Brown; treasurer, J. N. McRae; register of deeds, H. Hester; Commissioner, R. A. Anderson and A. H. Currie; recorder, Lumberton district, L. E. Tyner; solicitor recorder's court, Wade Hampton Kinlaw.

Graded School Faculty.
The Lumberton graded school will open for the fall term on Tuesday, September 15th. The following teachers have been selected: First grade, Mrs. Minnie Brooks, Elizabeth City; Second grade, Miss Pennie Winfield, Lumberton; Third grade, Miss Winfield Rowland, Lumberton; Fourth grade, Miss Mollie Belle Hollowell, Lumberton; Fifth grade, Miss Mamie Ament, Cary; Sixth grade, Miss Elizabeth Rhead, Virginia; High School, Miss Emma Newton, Hope Mills; Seventh grade, a teacher has been selected but has not accepted the position. The music department will be in charge of Miss Maye B. Glasgow, of Nashville, Tenn. She will be assisted by Miss Christine Gower, of Clayton. Miss Irene McLeod, of Lumberton, will teach expression. Professor Senfelle is delighted at the prospect of having the strongest faculty that he has ever had since the graded school was established.

While superintending the work of construction of the new residence of Mr. R. D. Caldwell Thursday afternoon, Mr. Charles Lumpkin was hit by a piece of lumber which fell from the roof, striking on the shoulder and back of the head. Dr. Bean was soon on the scene and took the wounded man home, where he soon began to improve and is now about fully recovered.

Circuses Barred.
Your correspondent stated last Sunday that four circuses were booked for Lumberton, but since then plans have been changed and it seems now that there will be nothing doing. There were five shows here one day this week, and the "boss," a great big one, declared he would bring his show here in spite of the mayor and everybody else. He employed a lawyer, a meeting of the aldermen was called and Mayor White presided. He said no more tent shows should come into Lumberton as long as he could do anything to prevent it. He said he would not allow a circus to come here until the conditions are as at present. Five aldermen agreed with the mayor, while one favored the circuses. The Star's Lumberton correspondent never realized until this week just how big he was. If just one report was half true, he would certainly exert a powerful influence beyond his remotest imagination. He stands charged with using his influence with the mayor and aldermen to keep the circuses out of town because he controls the only picture show in town and manages the bill posters' plant. Does it stand to reason that he would do such a "trick" when "circus day" is one of his best days during the year in the movie business? Posting 500 or 600 sheets of paper makes a nice little bill. If your correspondent had such influence, he would have every man who spits on the sidewalk and would have the scavenger cart travel at night instead of day time.

Lumberton to Georgetown by Water.
Mr. Knox Proctor returned from Georgetown, S. C., a few days ago, having made the trip down Lumber river, a distance of 365 miles, he says, in five days. Lumber river is crooked some. An old sign board used to read about 200 yards beyond the bridge across the river here that read: "To Georgetown, S. C., 96 1-2 miles." Old timber men used to call the distance 300 miles, and many of them used to walk from Georgetown to Lumberton, after making the trip down on rafts of timber.

The writer had the pleasure of meeting Mr. William Lupo, of Georgia, here this week. Mr. Lupo was raised in the southern part of this county, but went to Georgia 35 years ago and this was his first visit to his home since that time. He is an engineer on the Southern Railway between Macon, Ga., and Jacksonville, Fla. Messrs. Charles and Frank McNeill, brothers, raised in Lumberton, now both engineers on the Southern, have been here visiting relatives. It surely makes your correspondent feel good to meet these boys of his childhood days. One of the Messrs. McNeill runs from Columbia to Spartanburg, S. C., while the other is on the Columbia-Charlotte run.

Cotton Carried Back Home.
Superintendent McNeill, of the Lumberton Cotton Oil & Ginning Co., stated last night that up to date they had ginned 18 bales of cotton, and that the farmers had carried it back home. It is reported that robbers of some kind have gone into business here. One gentleman is said to have lost his gold watch yesterday while absent a short while from his office, and \$13 in cash is reported to have been taken from another place.

The business of the Lumberton Motor Car Company has increased so that it has become necessary to add another man to the moulding department. The new man has already begun work.

Mr. Fred Thomas and family have moved into their new home in the western part of town. Mr. Thomas, who has been sick for some time, is reported as very much improved.

Mr. W. L. Farham, for two or three years in the grocery department of R. D. Caldwell & Son, has been transferred to the office as assistant bookkeeper, succeeding Mr. Simon Caldwell, who will do the buying for the firm and superintend the business gen-

BRUNSWICK COUNTY NEWS

Superior Court Had a Busy Week—
Fishing Steamers Having Great Success.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Southport, N. C., Aug. 29.—The August term of Brunswick county Superior court, presided over by Judge O. H. Allen, has had a busy week, and in spite of rather warm weather has accomplished a good deal of business, and this with a number of cases which have taken much time. The following Wilmington attorneys have been in attendance: Robert Ruark, E. K. Bryan, Thos. W. Davis, Brooke Emple and W. J. Bellamy.

The fishing steamers Lawrence and Hathaway are busy making daily catches of menhaden for the Carolina Coast Products Co. The Lawrence went to the Delaware, but had only reached there, when Capt. Bussell received a wire that fish were plentiful off this port. Thursday the two steamers caught 2,500 barrels, which looks bigger when it is considered that there is a fleet of fish boats at Beaufort and Morehead City doing nothing because there are no fish in that vicinity.

Your correspondent has before this pointed out the wonderful natural advantages of this place as a fish port, and these advantages are being noted by fishermen, who are coming here in increasing numbers. In one of the catches by the fishing steamers this week, six tarpons were caught in the seine with the other fish. One of these tarpons was left here to a local fisherman, the fish weighing 150 pounds.

A few Spanish mackerels are being brought in. The sea trout are still fairly plentiful, while the mullets are small, but fat. Fishermen say that a good stiff northeasterly is needed to bring the larger mullets.

Some excellent peaches, grown in this vicinity, were seen here this week, and though the season is practically over, there have been some large and fine ones offered from wagon to wagon. Fine peaches are in the local market in profusion.

For more than two weeks rain has fallen all about Southport, with hardly a shower here. Thursday night there was a change, the thunder storm reaching here, and with it a good down-pour of rain amounting to 1.84 inches. This rain was most welcome.

The beautiful enormous hedges which have attracted visitors, are now about gone from the front of most homes which they at one time adorned. The scale of the same name as this place found its way here, and while several residents put up a fight to eradicate the scale and save the hedges, these efforts were defeated, and it only remains to cut down all hedges and burn them.

Mr. Hyman Anderson and a friend left Maxton late Thursday evening for Lumberton traveling in one of these little cars. They had been into a heavy rain, the car balked and "died about" so that they arrived here yesterday morning in time for breakfast, looking as though they had been out all night. The indication being that the car had no top along.

Oldest Bank to Nationalize.
Lumberton will soon have two National banks, the Bank of Lumberton having decided to change for the present at least. It will be known as the "National Bank of Lumberton." There will be no change of officers in any way. The Bank of Lumberton is the oldest bank in the county and, if the writer is not mistaken, will be second national bank, the First National Bank of Lumberton having been the first national bank established in Robeson county.

While out boating one evening this week, one popular young gentleman in the party, who had been out for a week, and after getting himself out of the river, had to dive back to rescue his hat, which he had left sticking in the mud.

Mr. Robert Dees, who has been very sick for several days, is improving. Mrs. W. P. Barker and Mrs. J. A. Thompson went to Wrightsville Beach yesterday to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jennings and little daughter, Elizabeth, returned last night from Charleston, where they had been visiting.

Miss C. Whitfield had a number of friends with her at dinner Thursday celebrating a birthday. She is one of Lumberton's most popular young ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wright, of Bluefield, W. Va., after spending several days here with relatives, left this week for their home.

A few days ago the Seaboard laid off through freights Nos. 77 and 78, between Hamlet and Wilmington, but has put them back. There is talk now of discontinuing passenger trains Nos. 23 and 24, which pass here at 7:35 A. M. for Wilmington and 7:10 P. M. for Hamlet.

The Fairmont Messenger of Thursday announced that on account of the European war situation it would, with that issue, cease publication. It has been predicted that others will do so, probably on the same account. It is not believed Fairmont will do without a paper long.

Watermelons are still coming in in large numbers, and some of the finest of the season in size and quality, have been sold here during the last few days.

Mrs. Lucetta Johnson, a native of Harnett county, who married in Robeson and moved several years ago to her present home in Cincinnati, O., is visiting here for the first time in 24 years.

GRAHAM INSISTS ON
HIS WAREHOUSE PLANPreparing to Present it to
Conference Tuesday

Presidents Keady, Harrison and Young to Attend Banquet of Raleigh Chamber of Commerce.
Sampsonian Pardoned.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 29.—Major W. A. Graham, Commissioner of Agriculture, is preparing to have his plan of establishing county warehouses for cotton established with bonded inspectors, whose certificates of the deposit of cotton will be given commercial and negotiable status, pressed in the conference of cotton growers, bankers, manufacturers and others to be held here next Tuesday at the call of Governor Craig.

Major Graham says he was a member of the legislative committee on Revision in 1905 and that he procured the amendment to section 4,687 of the Revision, most fortunately, that he insists now makes it possible for the county commissioners of the several cotton growing counties to inaugurate this cotton warehousing system for the adoption of which he is striving. The section originally provided only for this warehousing of "provision forage" and Major Graham's amendment added "or other articles of commerce."

The whole matter of the relief of the cotton situation in this State, most especially, will be gone into next Tuesday in the conference that Governor Craig has called and which, he says, promises to bring together a large body of the most representative and thoughtful men of the State.

City Playground for Children.
Progress is being made in the preparation for equipping and opening the city playground for children which is to be out at Centon public school, which was, in the earlier days of Raleigh as the State Capitol, the governor's mansion, and has extensive grounds. The city commission has made a special appropriation for the public play grounds and J. T. Zellers, a specialist in this public playground management, has arrived and is giving his personal attention to the project.

Textile Building Will Be Ready.
Such progress has been made in the rebuilding of the textile building out at the A. & M. College, that was burned last spring, that it is certain to be completed and equipped by the time the textile students take up their work for the approaching fall session. Numbers of the textile students are already here taking a hand in the installation of the machinery which has been mostly donated by manufacturers of such machinery the country over.

A pardon is granted by Governor Craig for Duv Pope, Sampson county, who has served since 1910 on a 12 year sentence to the penitentiary for manslaughter. The pardon is conditioned on good behavior. The Governor states that the quarrel that resulted in the killing started while Pope and his company were eating dinner out of doors and was without malice or previous preparation; that Pope was present, urging the difficulty as between the deceased and two friends of Pope, but seeing that the difficulty participated. Court officers and others now recommend that Pope has been sufficiently punished for his part in the affair.

Three Railroad Presidents Coming.
President Fairfax Harrison, of the Southern Railway Co., has advised President Jno. C. Drewry, of the Raleigh chamber of commerce, that he will attend the annual banquet of the chamber is to hold on the evening of September 8th. Presidents J. R. Keady, of the Atlantic Coast Line, and J. H. Young, of the Norfolk Southern, have also indicated that they will attend. Each will deliver addresses in connection with the banquet.

Forward Matter for Agriculture.
The joint committee on the boards of directors of the State Department of Agriculture and the A. & M. College, in special session here yesterday, projected the division of extension in which there will be co-operation between the college and the Department of Agriculture authorities in carrying out into the farm communities all over the State the advanced methods and discoveries developed by the experiment stations and other agricultural advance agencies throughout the country, through Federal aid. The joint committee selected Dr. E. W. Kilgore, State chemist, as director in charge of the division to direct its agencies in their work throughout the State.

\$100,000 of Smith-Lever Fund.
The fund at hand for this work is the \$100,000 allotted to North Carolina by the Federal Government from the Smith-Lever Fund. The plan is to provide competent men to go into the farm communities all over the State and provide something of the benefits of instruction and assistance that the college and the State Department of Agriculture are providing for the benefit of number of those in immediate touch with the work done by each for agricultural progress.

Then Up to Legislature.
There will be only the \$100,000 available this year and then if this work is to continue the State Legislature will have to provide a fund on the part of the State amounting to \$2,000 and then the Federal Government will, under the plan, add another \$20,000 so that next year, if the movement meets the approval of the Legislature, there will be \$44,000 available for the work, with possibility of its developing to the extent that there will be \$300,000 devoted annually to this special uplift of agricultural effort through extension service.

O. L. Clark, of Clarkston, is chairman of the joint committee that laid its plans yesterday. Other members are W. A. Graham, Commissioner of Agriculture; R. W. Scott, E. W. Woodward and C. C. Wright, on the part of the Department of Agriculture, and President D. H. Hill, W. H. Ragan, C. W. Gold, T. T. Thorne and O. L. Clark on the part of the directors of the college.

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On sale September 6 and 7, limited returning September 16.

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On sale September 8, 9 and 10, limited returning September 19.

BOSTON, MASS. (All Rail) . . \$30.50
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On sale September 11, 12 and 13, limited returning September 24.

DALLAS, TEX. . . \$40.75
On sale Sept. 18, 19 and 20, limited returning October 2.

RICHMOND, VA. . . \$8.10
On sale October 10, 11 and 12, limited returning October 20.

ATLANTA, GA. . . \$13.55
On sale October 4, 5 and 6, limited returning October 17.

On sale October 12, 13 and 14, limited returning October 24.

On sale November 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, limited returning November 23.

NEW ORLEANS, LA. . . \$35.60
On sale October 18 and 19, limited returning October 28.

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For schedules, reservations and any further information, call phone 160, or apply to C. M. ACKER, Ticket Agent of the ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

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On sale August 23, 24, 25, 26, limited returning August 29th.

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ATLANTA, GA. . . \$13.55

On sale October 4, 5, 6, limited returning October 17th.

ATLANTA, GA. . . \$13.55

On sale October 13 and 14, limited returning October 24.

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On sale October 17 and 18, limited returning October 31.

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Effective Friday, June 12, 1914, the present Winston-Salem-Raleigh Pullman Car Line will be changed to Winston-Salem-Beaufort-Morehead City-Pullman Car Line for the Summer Season, and will continue in effect until Saturday, August 22, 1914.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective June 1, 1914.

Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES: TO AND FROM ARRIVALS:

No. 90, 1:30 A.M.
Goldboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 3:40 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.

No. 51, 5:25 A.M.
Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.

No. 61, 1:30 P.M.
Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.

No. 48, 3:30 A.M.
Goldboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains via Pullman Service.

No. 63, 8:45 A.M.
Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford, commencing June 15. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Greenville.

No. 62, 1:30 P.M.
Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.

No. 57, 6:30 P.M.
Chadbourn, Florence, Conway and Intermediate stations.

No. 55, 8:45 P.M.
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Suburban Schedule

In Effect Saturday, June 6, 1914

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INFLUENCE OF CHRISTIANITY ON EDUCATION OF INDIA'S WOMEN

Primary Schools Needed in Korea—Recent Visit to Baron Yun.

Some of the Results of Mission Work—Baby School of the Punjab—Teachers Needed for Africa

(By Ida Clyde Clarke.)

Twenty-two years ago, there was not a man in all the region of Luebo that had heard the name of Jesus. Now there are nearly ten thousand believers. Twenty-two years ago there was not a man that knew a letter in any alphabet. Today there are nearly seven thousand pupils in the different schools. Twenty-two years ago there was not a man, woman or child in all that great region that could utter a syllable of intelligent prayer. When Bishop Lambuth was there he estimated that at 6 o'clock every morning 20,000 people gather in the various villages for morning prayer. Does it pay?

Some interesting facts are given in the recently-published general report of the census of India, concerning the influence of Christianity on the education of woman in India. It is stated that Christians (22 per cent. literate) are almost on a par with the Buddhists, but in the case the inequality between the position of the two sexes is much smaller, the proportion of literate females being nearly half that of males.

In order to ascertain how far the high position of Christians is due to the inclusion of Europeans and Anglo-Indians, the figures for Indian Christians have been worked out separately. The result is somewhat surprising, for although the Indian converts to Christianity are recruited mainly from the aboriginal tribes and the lowest Hindu castes, who are almost wholly illiterate, they have, in proportion to their numbers, three times as many literate persons as the Hindus, and more than four times as many as the Mohammedans. One Indian Christian in six is able to read and write; for males the proportion is one in four, and for females one in ten.

The influence of Christianity on education, continues the report, is strikingly illustrated by the figures for the province of Bihar, and compared with only 5 per cent. amongst their Apollitic congeners. It has to be remembered, moreover, that many of the Indian Christians had already passed the school-going stage at the time of their conversion; the proportion who are able to read and write must be far higher amongst those who were brought up as Christians.

Primary Schools in Korea. One of the most urgent needs in connection with mission work in Korea is the establishment of a system of Christian primary schools, says Rev. R. A. Hardu, Southern Methodist missionary in Seoul, Korea. For many months we have been trying to inaugurate a plan, approved by the educational senate, for a system of union grammar schools in the city of Seoul. The plan is to have four union schools of primary and grammar grades located at central points in the city, and we have at last succeeded in getting the Northern Presbyterians and the two Methodist missions to co-operate in the purchase of a piece of land, on which we can begin the work of one of these schools.

The site in question is located about half way between one of the Presbyterian churches and our Chong-kyo church. It is within a few rods of either of these churches. The Methodist Episcopal church has many members within easy reach of this location, so that we believe these missions will be sufficiently interested in this school to guarantee its success.

We have at present funds for the purchase of only one-third of the property needed for this school, but on this third is a good Korean residence, with tile roof, in which we can begin work with a limited number of classes.

There is plenty of land adjoining the house purchased, which is for sale. The government is properly requiring a standing, which few, if any, of our Christian primary schools have attained, and unless we improve very much, we cannot long expect government recognition or permission to continue.

It is absurd for each mission to attempt to maintain its own schools in a mission center like Seoul, as it entails overlapping and much unnecessary expense.

Visit to Baron Yun. A few days ago Mr. Nakada, a Japanese evangelist, visiting Korea from Tokyo, who had known Baron Yun, visited him in the penitentiary. He found Mr. Yun cheerful and well. He himself says he suffers no inconvenience from ill health and that he is perfectly well.

He has a room to himself and is allowed the privilege of having his meals prepared by his own hired servant, who has quarters near the penitentiary. The penitentiary is a new building and Mr. Nakada says that everything connected with it is clean as a very large number of the successful competitors who gain 85 per cent. and upwards of obtainable marks. As a very large number of the successful competitors come from non-Christian homes, these volumes will discharge a valuable missionary service.

Sunday Schools in India. While in 1881 there was in India a Sunday school membership of about 66,000, there is now in Southern Asia nearly 750,000 scholars. The India Sunday School Union instituted in 1895 an annual Scripture examination in over 20 vernaculars. The entrants to this examination number nearly 20,000. The society has undertaken for three years to present a vernacular Bible or Testament to successful competitors in the higher grades of the examinations, who gain 85 per cent. and upwards of obtainable marks. As a very large number of the successful competitors come from non-Christian homes, these volumes will discharge a valuable missionary service.

What Missions Have Done.

More than 8,000 missionaries of both sexes from the United States, and 25,000 native converts acting as missionaries, are teaching the Christian faith throughout the world.

They have converted 1,500,000 men, women and children in all lands, and are bringing 75,000 more into the fold every year. Over 1,500,000 are learning the ways of Christianity in the 20,000 colleges, theological seminaries, training and Sunday schools that have been established by American missionaries. The modern missionary is not only a spiritual adviser, but undertakes to

cure physical ills as well. In the 600 hospitals and free dispensaries established in foreign lands, it is estimated that 2,000,000,000 treatments have been given by the 400 males and female doctors making up the foreign missionary medical staff.

In times of famine they distribute huge sums of money. The expenses of this vast campaign are enormous, but no country is as liberal as the United States. Last year the American people contributed nearly \$17,000,000 to promote the work, while all nations are spending about \$28,000,000 to support their 24,000 Christian and 112,000 native missionaries who have gathered over 600,000,000 adherents in the faith.

Baby School for Punjab. The baby school of the Punjab Mission of India is the Lahore Jail school, opened about a year ago by Mrs. Ewing, at the request of the Indian officials of the jail. The teacher is an excellent Christian girl, and these 40 little girls, representing several different creeds, read and play together and learn about the one Savior, who loves and cares for all.

Railway Guard's Tip. An anonymous donor recently forwarded one shilling to the Church Missionary Society, and wrote as follows: "Please find enclosed P. O. for one shilling. This was offered as a tip to a G. W. R. guard who refused it, and asked that instead it should be sent to your society."

African Teachers Needed. The difficulty of supplying efficient African teachers is the most urgent problem of the C. M. S. Mission in Nigeria. In one district so remarkably have congregations multiplied that only six out of 35 possess a resident teacher. In another, 55 congregations, representing 70 towns and villages, have only 17 agents working among them. In a third district there are congregations of over 300 people who receive only two visits a month from a teacher living 15 miles away. Some of the training institutions in the mission are overfull, but the course is necessarily long in order to produce efficient teachers, and the output is slow.

News From Many Lands. In 1881 there were 19,781 Indian Christians in the Punjab; in 1901 there were 27,685, and in 1911, 163,994. In the Delhi district the Methodist Episcopal mission estimates that there are about 15,000 people waiting for baptism. The Bishop of Madras recently expressed the opinion that in five years' time there will be 300,000 Christians, and in ten years 500,000.

South America is twice the size of Europe, three times the size of China, four times the size of India, 60 times the size of the British Isles. The population of Brazil is being rapidly recruited from the Latin races of Europe. In 1912 the number of immigrants was 159,782. It is estimated that not less than 100,000 pounds sterling of British capital is invested in Brazil, which seems destined to become a great empire.

A Chinese Bible class in one of the larger cities recently sent to one of the Bible societies a gift of \$5 to be used in sending Bibles to China.

The total issue of the American Bible society in 35 years has been 90,000,000 copies of the Scriptures.

LOYALTY TO PASTORS.

(Presbyterian Standard.)

To the student of the Greek language and of the customs of the East there is a peculiar charm in the word pastor. It means a shepherd in the Eastern sense, a man who lives among his sheep, and who is loved by them. The Syrians who lecture on the customs of the East tell us that there is no tie as tender and close as that which binds shepherd and flock together. It was no doubt for this reason that the Holy Spirit chose that word to express the tender and loving relation that should exist between pastor and people. The word carries with it a double obligation, so that the pastor must feed his flock. He must find food for them, and he must go before them, and then on the other hand the people must love their preacher, and must follow where he leads.

The most careless observer of our present usage must see that we are fast drifting away from the Bible idea. In many of our small churches the idea seems to prevail that the preacher is merely an employee, to whom so much is paid for his services, and the only tie that binds either party is too often only a pecuniary one. Such charges never hold a pastor long, because the trials of the office are such that only love for the people can hold a man, and there can be no love where money is the only consideration. Then when he leaves, there are no tears shed. It is merely a change of employees, such as takes place constantly in the business world.

The other kind is different, and those of us who have been thus blessed in the past look back with tender love, and remember the thousand acts of kindness received. Here the pastor is a member of every family. He shares their sorrows and their joys, and when he leaves there is grief and a sense of bereavement that lingers for a long time. This is what the Bible intends the pastor to be. He is the shepherd of his flock, and as shepherd he is supreme in his own field, and he has a right to demand loyalty from his people, and from his brother ministers respect for his rights.

No other minister has a right to come into his field to bury the dead, or marry the living, and his people have no right to go outside to get preachers to do the work that belongs to him.

We have reason to know that there are pastors in this Synod whose usefulness in their fields, and also their influence, are both weakened by some brother coming in to do their work.

There is no use in appealing to the people not to bring in outside parties, because when a family is silly enough to give their pastor such a slight, they are beyond appeal. But our ministers ought to know better, and they ought to do better. Remember that while you may get a small fee, your brother misses that which is his right, and that his hold on his people is thereby weakened.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson X.—Third Quarter, For Sept. 6, 1914.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Mark xii, 28-34, 41-44—Memory Verses, 29-31—Golden Text, Luke x, 27—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

This lesson consists of three parts—the question of the scribe whom Matthew calls a lawyer, Christ's great question and the record of the widow's two mites. The first is recorded by Matthew and Mark, the second by Matthew, Mark and Luke and the third by Matthew and Luke. Having answered and put to silence the Pharisees, Herodians and Sadducees, He is now approached by one of the Pharisees, who was a scribe well acquainted with the law. His question is, "Which is the great commandment in the law?" or "Which is the first commandment of all?"

Here was another tempter, and yet the Lord graciously condescended to answer him. If one came to us in the same spirit and we knew it, would we be gracious enough to make reply? Our Lord left us an example to follow Him in all things. He meekly replied to this critic, quoting from Deut. vi, 4, 5; Lev. xix, 18, the summary of the Ten Commandments, which His own hand had written twice on the tables of stone, that the righteousness which is required of us is to love the Lord our God with all our heart, soul, mind and strength, and our neighbor as ourselves, adding, according to Matt. xxii, 40, "On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets." The scribe confessed that He had answered well and said that to do this was more than all whole burnt offerings and sacrifices, to which Jesus replied, "Thou art not far from the kingdom of God."

The scribe saw more clearly than most of his fellows that God looked for a right heart rather than anything merely outward. He understood the words of Isa. i, 10-15, and all similar words concerning the abomination that Israel's sacrifices were to the Lord because it was all mere form, all outward, without a thought of the forgiveness of their sins or their need of it. In the first sacrifice ever seen on earth man gave God nothing, had no hard in it at all. The Lord Himself did all and provided freely the redemption clothing that man needed (Gen. iii, 21).

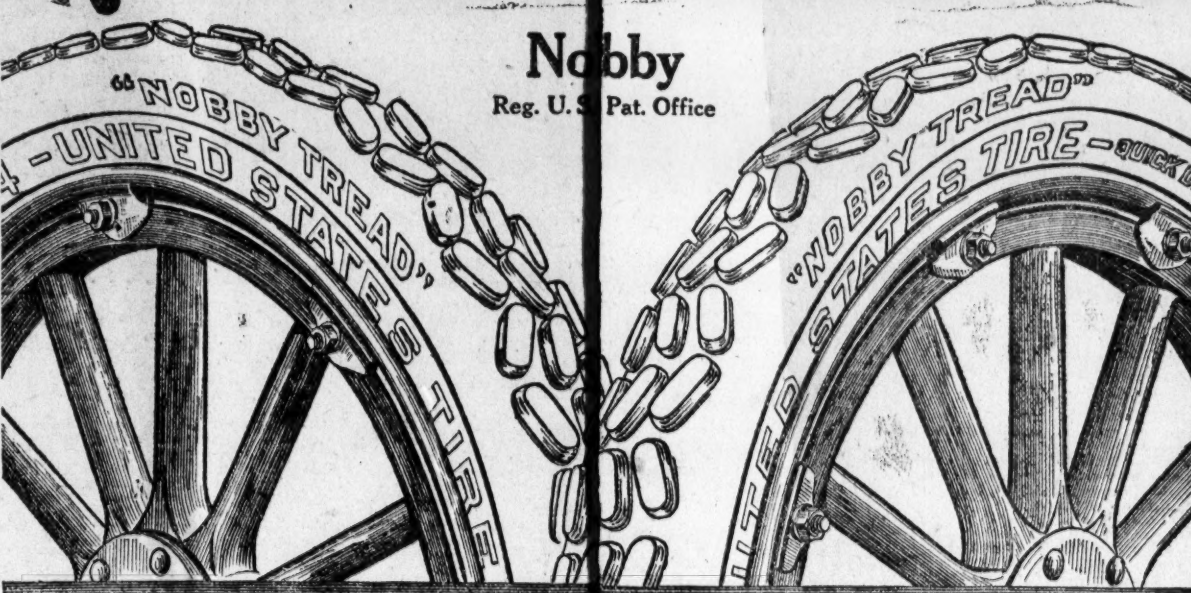
The law of God, which is so holy and just and good that man cannot keep it and which has been kept perfectly only by Jesus Christ, who is the true ark of the covenant and the mercy seat, is always intended to lead us to Christ, who is the end of the law for righteousness to every one that believeth (Rom. x, 3, 4; xiii, 10). The great and all important question is not what we should do or should not do, what we know or do not know, but what is Jesus Christ to us, what think ye of Christ (Matt. xxii, 42). To these Jews who expected a Messiah, a son of David, but who did not understand the prophecies concerning Him and that He was to be truly a man and yet truly God in one person, the question as to how the Messiah could be David's son and also David's Lord was what might be called a poser for them.

According to Matt. xxii, 42, He asked them, "What think ye of Christ?" (or the Messiah). "Whose son is He?" They replied, "The son of David." Then came the difficult question for them, "How doth David in the Spirit, in the book of Psalms, call Him Lord, saying, 'The Lord said unto my Lord, Sit thou on my right hand till I make thine enemies thy footstool?'" (Ps. cx, 1). Jesus Himself answers the question. In John xvi, 28, He said, "I came forth from the Father and am come into the world." As Miriam says in his harmony, the question can only be answered aright as recognizing the fact that Christ proceeded forth and came from His Father in heaven, and thus is David's Lord, while, as being man, He was "of the house and lineage of David" and so was David's son. In Him were united the divine and human natures (John i, 1-14; I John i, 1, 2). One of the very last titles that He gives Himself in the New Testament is "the root and the offspring of David" (Rev. xxii, 16). David came from Him as His Lord, and as man He came from David. He is the Son of Man, inheriting all things, and He is to sit on David's throne (Luke i, 31-33). Personally I am comforted by the fact that as perfect man He knows me thoroughly, and as God He is able to save, to keep and to present me faultless because I have accepted Him as my Saviour.

He had taught them to beware of Pharisees, Sadducees and Herodians, and now He says, "Beware of the scribes," mentioning their desire for praise of men, their seeming religiousness and at the same time their oppression of poor widows whose offering of as little as two mites sometimes counted more in His sight than the abundance of many rich people. The poor widow of our lesson cast in all that she had, even all her living. This drew her very near to Him. When any one says "This is the widow's mite" as they give some trifle to the Lord, say as kindly as possible, "Make it two, or do not mention it, and do not compare it with the Bible story unless it is all you have."

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NEWS of PHOTOPLAYS and PHOTOPLAYERS

"A Princess of Bagdad"

MAMMOTH SIX REELER FEATURING POPULAR HELEN GARDNER.

In these days when the talents of motion picture directors are searching every available nook and corner for fresh subjects and plots with which to further fascinate the public, it is, indeed, interesting to know that a most pleasing innovation has been given out in "A Princess of Bagdad," a six-reel feature, in which the beautiful and gifted Helen Gardner takes the leading role. The sameness which has been the bane of directors and the point all wish to avoid has been entirely left out of this production, for in no particular of scene or setting does it resemble other pictures which have been on exhibition during the past year or more. Miss Gardner is so far superior to the majority of picture players she could take the most mediocre plot and endow it with richness and splendor, but in this comedy-drama of the Orient, she has even greater opportunities, none of which she neglects. Her captivating beauty and entrancing art combine in holding one's attention riveted to the screen while the old Arabian Nights story of the love of a princess for a poor cobbler is unfolded in swift changing scenes. For months and months Miss Gardner and her company worked at Tappan-on-the-Hudson in the production of this six-reel feature, and money was not spared in making it the masterpiece of the studio. All the wealth of costumes and rich interior settings peculiar to the Orient is used in the picture, making it a veritable fairyland feature that few producers would care to undertake. We are sure of the services of such artists as are seen in "A Princess of Bagdad."

THE MAN WHO DARED



CARLYLE BLACKWELL.

The man who dared to do what many another older and more experienced actor would tremble at! Carlyle Blackwell, the "Idol of the movies" who starred in almost every worth while film produced by the famous Kalem Company, recently dared to organize his own company. His plans for the future are to handle the manufacture, production and direction of all the pictures in which he stars. These will be released through the Alco Film Company and there is no doubt but what film lovers can look forward to many and many a treat, for Mr. Blackwell will continue his policy; that of absolute perfection in motion pictures. He is, indeed, a solid favorite with the public and is just as popular with his associates, numbering his friends by the hundreds. He is always cheerful, good tempered and ever ready to help with kindly advice those who know him and can claim his friendship. He was born in Syracuse and attended the Cornell University. It was while a student there that he developed the "stage bug" and straightway decided on a theatrical career. He played juveniles, after which he was engaged to play parts in several Broadway productions. In each case he was a splendid success. But it was taken the "movies" to develop his latent talents and today he is one of the foremost players in Scenedom.

Miss Beverly Bayne is a charming member of Essanay's Eastern stock company, whose work in a number of recent productions has won much praise. Miss Bayne is a striking photographic subject and a firm believer in all outdoor sports. She is an expert horsewoman and can be seen any fine morning cantering along Lake Shore Drive, Chicago. Her favorite hobby is sketching and water color work. Her unusual beauty and ability to portray a wide range of characters have gained for her a host of admirers in the film world. She has played leading roles in such recent productions as "Oh, Doctor!" "The Way Perilous," "Dear Old Girl," "The Love Route," and many others.

A GOOD IMP

(By Ada Pasteur.)



A Scene From "WHEN THE WORLD WAS SILENT."

Can you imagine a situation justifying a woman pouring poison into her sweetheart's ears—making him deaf for life for fear of losing him to another woman? Taking a man's hearing away from him would be a pretty serious crime, you say. Yes, it would be. But here is a woman that does it—who puts poison into a man's ears—a man whose greatest ambition is to become a great pianist. And what is more, she married him later and makes him a far bigger and more famed man than he could ever have been had he retained his hearing. "When the World Was Silent" is one of the strangest modern love dramas that has ever been conceived. You have heard of Beethoven, the great composer. But did you know that he

became totally deaf when he was about 36, and that he composed his greatest masterpieces after that time? It seems hard to believe, but such a thing is possible, and around this possibility the present play is woven—a play that is tense and thrilling, wherein a young musician, after having his hearing blotted out by the hand of his sweetheart, turned to composing and became famous. In a moment of passion the sweetheart did the awful thing for fear of losing him to a society girl whom the man believed was better fitted to further his career. Later the woman set out to atone for her deed—she married the musician.

William Shay is seen as the musician, and Leah Baird as the woman. It is a play which makes you talk.

THE FAMOUS PLAYER



HAROLD LOCKWOOD.

Harold Lockwood, the famous Famous Player, is now playing with Henrietta Crossman in "The Unwelcome Mrs. Hatch" under the direction of Allen Dwan. This is indeed a distinction, but wholly worthy of this versatile, ambitious young actor.

Mr. Lockwood has gained fame through hard, painstaking work from the time he left college to become an actor until the present day. It is a curious fact that Edwin S. Porter was his first director when Harold Lockwood entered the "movies" and today that gentleman is using his well-directed efforts towards Mr. Lockwood's present day success.

Film lovers will remember the beautiful part Mr. Lockwood played in "Hearts Adrift" and also in "Tess of the Storm Country." In both plays he was featured as Mary Pickford's co-star.

ment to a New York newspaper man. The press agent says that Margarita Fischer came very near being a dancer. Be that as it may, we have absolute knowledge that this clever little beauty danced her way into moving pictures.

Richard W. Willis has been appointed Western representative of the Authors' Syndicate, the largest moving picture syndicate in the country.

James Morrison, that ever-popular boy of the movies, is at present vacationing in the Catskills with his director, Mr. Marston.

And now comes the rumor that Irving Cummings broke off his engagement with Mignon Anderson because he was afraid his mother would object. Oo-oh!

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FLASHES on the SCREEN

Gertrude Cameron has just written a scenario entitled "The Penalty," which Lloyd Lonergan has promised honest-and-truly, to produce as soon as Irving Cummings recovers from poison.

Miss Cleo Madison, the leading woman of the "Trey O'Hearts," has completely recovered from the accident which occurred when a boat which she was riding through a rough surf capsized and imprisoned her beneath it.

While it was noticed that most of the New York theatres were "silent" a few weeks ago, the billboard informs us that the legitimate is coming back into its own this fall.

Some rude person declared the other day that Mary Pickford, who gets

\$50,000 a year, "silent" money, is paid in pennies!

Pauline Bush, known throughout the film world as an emotional actress of the first order, will be featured in a new Rex company now being organized at the Hollywood studios of the Universal.

Dorothy Phillips, who is known as the best "Imp," is soon to make her bow in one of the best Imps, to be known as "The Futility of Revenge."

Fred Macs and his smile was noticed in the lobby of the Hotel Astor in New York the other day. And right near him was the grin of Mack Sennett.

Irene Hunt is now being seen in a new two-reeler entitled "In the Nick of Time," a stirring drama by F. W. Holmes.

There are strong rumors being circulated in the vicinity of the Thanhouser studios which have something to do with Gertrude Cameron's engagement.

EDNA MAISON.



The Charming Universal Beauty.

A BIG LITTLE



ANNA LITTLE.

Anna Little, who is with the Universal Company, was born in Northern California, but her family moved to Chicago when she was a baby. They again moved to Los Angeles when she was 12 years old, and she was educated in Southern California and proved a good student and an ardent follower of basketball and athletics generally. Her father died when she was 17, and Anna, as she was a clever singer and dancer, obtained a position with Richard Carle and appeared in "The Tenderfoot." Later she joined the Ferris Hartman comedy and sang and acted many leading parts. She appeared in "The Wizard of the Nile," "Chinese Honeymoon," and other light operas, and used her soprano voice on the concert platform and in church solo work.

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"THE VOICE AT THE TELEPHONE"
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"OUT OF THE VALLEY"

Big Victor Drama, Featuring J. Warren Kerrigan.

"WHAT HAPPENED TO SCHULTZ"

Joker Comedy, Featuring Max Asher.

"DETECTIVE DAN CUPID"

Big Nestor Comedy, Featuring Eddie Lyons and Victoria Forde.

TUESDAY

"LOVE'S REFRAIN"

Rousing Drama, Featuring King Baggot and Mary Pickford.

"ON RUGGED SHORES"

Nestor Drama, Featuring Eddie Lyons and Victoria Forde.

"SIMPLE FAITH"

Victor Drama, Featuring Alice May and Irene Wallace.

"THEIR FIRST ACQUAINTANCE"

Majestic Comedy, With Miss Dorothy Gish.

SPECIAL

WEDNESDAY

THE TREY O'HEARTS

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This installment will be shown at The BLOU in Two Reels, Next Wednesday. 1 1 1 1 1
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SYNOPSIS—The 3 of Hearts is the "death-sign" used by Seneca Trine in the private war of vengeance which, through his daughter Judith, a woman of violent and criminal temper and questionable sanity, he wages against Alan Law, whose father (now dead) Trine held responsible for the accident which made him a helpless cripple. Rose, Judith's twin and double, learning of her sister's campaign against Alan, leaves her home to aid him, whom she loves. Under dramatic circumstances Alan saves Judith's life and so wins her love; but failure to shake his constancy to Rose fixes Judith in her purpose.

I—FOREWARNED.

The thing was managed with an ingenuity that Alan termed devilish: it was indisputably Machiavellian.

The lovers had come down from the North in hot haste and the shadow of death. Two days of steady traveling, by canoe, by woods trail, by lake steamer—forty-eight hours of fatigue and strain eased by not one instant's relaxation from the high tension of vigilance upon which their very lives depended—were to a culmination through this tedious afternoon on the train from Moosehead: a trip of physical torment only made possible by Alan's luck in securing, through sheer accident, two parlor-car reservations turned back at the last moment before leaving Kineo station.

No matter: the longest afternoon must have its evening.

As if in answer to this thought, the train slowed down with whistling brakes to the last hill-station; and as the trucks groaned and moved anew, a lout of a boy came galloping down the aisle, brandishing two yellow envelopes and blating like a stray calf: "Mista Lawr! Mista Lawr! Telgrams for Mista Lawr!"

Alan had been expecting at every station a prepaid reply to his wire for reservations on the night express from Portland to New York.

But why two envelopes—superscribed "Mr. A. Law, Kineo train southbound, Oakland Sta."?

He tore one open, unfolded the enclosure, and grunted disgust with its curt advice, opened the other and caught his breath sharply as he withdrew—part way only—a playing card, a Trey of Hearts.

Thrusting it back quickly, he clapped both envelopes together, tore them into a hundred fragments, and scattered them from the window. But the fiendish wind whisked one small scrap back—and only one!—into the lap of the woman he loved.

Vainly he prayed that she might be asleep. The silken lashes trembled on her cheeks and lifted slightly, disclosing the dark glimmer of questioning eyes. And as she clipped the strap of card-board between thumb and forefinger, he bent forward and silently took it from her—one corner of the Trey of Hearts, but inevitably a corner bearing the figure 3 above a heart.

"The Pullman agent at Portland wires, no reservations available on any New York train in the next thirty-six hours," he said with lowered voice. "Couldn't we possibly catch the New York boat tonight?"

He shook a glum head. "No—I looked that up first. It leaves before we get in."

She said, "Too bad," abstractedly, reclosed her eyes, and apparently lapsed anew into semi-somnolence—but without deceiving him who could well guess what poignant anxiety gnawed at her heart.

He could have ground his teeth in exasperation.

To think that this was America, this the twentieth century, the apex of the highest form of civilization the world had ever known—and still a man could be hunted from pillar to post, haunted with threats, harried with attempts at assassination in a hundred forms—and that by a slip of a girl with the cunning of a madwoman, the heart of a thug, the face of a charming child—the face of the woman that sat beside him, duplicating its every perfect feature so nearly that even he who loved the one could scarcely distinguish her from the other but by instinct, intuition, blind guess-work.

He nodded heavy-hearted confirmation of a surprise slowly settling into conviction in his mind, that such cunning, such purpose and pertinacity could not possibly spring from a mind well-balanced, that the woman Judith Trine, sister to the Rose he loved so well, was as mad as that monomaniac her father, who sat helpless in his cell of silence and shadows in New York, day after day eating his heart out with impatience for the word that his vengeance had been consummated by the daughter whom he had inspired to execute it.

An hour late, in dusk of evening, the train lumbered into Portland station; and heart in mouth, Alan helped Rose from the steps, shouldered a way for her through the crowd, and almost lifted her into a taxicab.

"Best hotel in town," he demanded. "And be quick about it—for a double tip."

He communicated his one desperate scheme to the girl en route, receiving her endorsement of it. So, having registered for her and seen her safely to the door of the best available room in the house within ready call of the public lobby and office, he washed up, gulped a hasty meal—which Rose had declined to share, pleading fatigue—and hurried away into the night with only the negro driver of a public hack, picked up haphazard at some distance from the hotel, for his guide.

II—FORTUITY.

He wasted the better part of an hour in fruitless and perhaps ill-advised inquiries; then his luck, such as it was, led him on suspicion down a poorly-lighted wharf, at the extreme end of which he discovered a lonely young man perched atop a pile, hands in pockets, gaze turned to a tide whereon, now black night had fallen, pallid wreaths of yachts swung just visibly beneath uneasy riding-lights.

"Pardon me," Alan ventured, "but perhaps you can help me out—"

"You've come to the wrong shop, my friend," the young man interposed with morose civility: "I couldn't help anybody out of anything—the way I am now."

"I'm sorry," said Alan, "but I thought possibly you might know where I could find a seaworthy boat to charter."

The young man slipped smartly down from his perch. "If you don't look sharp," he said ominously, "you'll charter the Seaventure." He waved his hand toward a vessel moored alongside the wharf.

wharf: "There she is, and a better boat you won't find anywhere: schooner-rigged, fifty feet over all, twenty-five horsepower motor auxiliary, two state-rooms—all ready for as long a coastwise cruise as you care to take. Come aboard."

He led briskly across the wharf, down a gang-plank, then aft along the deck to a companionway by which the two men gained a comfortable and roomy cabin, bright with fresh white enamel.

Here the light of the cabin lamp revealed to Alan's searching scrutiny a person of sturdy build and independent carriage, with a roughly-modeled, good-humored face, reddish hair, and steady though twinkling blue eyes.

"Name, Barcus," the young man introduced himself cheerfully: "Christened Thomas. Nativty, American. State of life, flat broke. That's the rub," he laughed, and shrugged, shame-faced. "I found myself hard up this spring with this boat on my hands, sunk every cent I had—and then some—sitting out on an oral charter with a moneyed blighter in New York, who was to have met me here a fortnight since. He didn't—and here I am, in pawn to the ship-chandler, desperate enough for anything."

"How much do you owe?"

"Upwards of a hundred."

"Say I advance that amount: when can we sail?"

"The young man reflected briefly. "There's something so engagingly idiotic about this proceeding," he observed wistfully, "I've got the strangest kind of a hunch it's going to go through. Pay my bills, and we can be off inside an hour. That is—"

He checked with an exclamation of dismay, chap-

the gangplank came aboard with a clatter, and the Seaventure swung away from the wharf.

Until the distance was too great for even a flying leap, Alan lingered watchfully on deck.

At length, satisfied that all was well, he returned to the cabin.

"All right," he nodded: "we're clear of that lot, apparently: nobody but the three of us aboard. Now you'd best turn in. This is evidently to be your stateroom, this one to port, and you'll have a long night's sleep to make up for what you've gone through—dearest."

He drew nearer, dropping his voice tenderly. And of a sudden, with a little low cry, the girl came into his arms and clung passionately to him.

"But you?" she murmured. "You need rest as much as I! What about you?"

"Oh, no, I don't," he contended. "Besides I'll have plenty of time to rest up once we're fairly at sea. Barcus and I stand watch and watch, of course. There's nothing for you to do but be completely at your ease. But—you must let me go."

Eyes half-closed, her head thrown back, she seemed to suffer his kiss rather than to respond, then turned hastily away to her stateroom—leaving him staring with wonder at her strangeness.

By midnight the Seaventure was spinning swiftly south-southeast, close reefed to a snoring sou'west wind—the fixed white eye of Portland held light fast falling astern.

IV—DOWN THE CAPE.

At four o'clock, or shortly after, Alan was awakened by boot-heels pounding imperatively over-head, and went on deck again, to stand both dog-

"Judith!" he cried in a voice of stupefaction. "But—good Lord!—how did you get aboard? Where's Rose?"

"Where you'll not find her easily again," the woman angrily retorted. "Trust me for that!"

"What do you mean?" Illumination came in a blinding flash. "Do you mean it was you—you whom I brought aboard last night?"

"Who else?"

"You waylaid her there in the hotel, substituted yourself for her, deceived me into thinking you—!"

"Of course," she said simply. "Why not? When I saw her sleeping there—the mirror of myself, completely at my mercy—what else should I think of than to take her place with the man I loved? I knew you'd never know the difference—at least, I was fool enough for the moment to believe I could stand being loved by you in her name! It was only today, when I'd had time to think, that I realized how impossible that was!"

A sudden slap of the mainsail boom athwartships and a simultaneous cry from over the stern roused Alan from his consternation to fresh appreciation of the emergency. With scant consideration he hustled the woman to the companionway and below, slammed its doors and closed her in with the sliding hatch—all in a breath—then sprang to the taffrail, just in time to lend a helping hand sorely wanted by Mr. Barcus in his efforts to climb aboard, after he had pulled the dory up under the stern by its painter.

He came over the rail in a towering temper.

"I hope you'll pardon the apparent impertinence," he suggested acidly, as soon as able to articulate coherently—"but may I inquire if that

Then suddenly elevating his nose, Barcus sniffed audibly. "Here," he said sharply, "relieve me for a minute, will you? I want to go forward and have a look at that motor."

In the time that he remained invisible between-decks, the fisherman luffed, picked up the dory and its occupant, and came round again in open chase of the Seaventure.

When Barcus reappeared it was with a grave face.

"The devil and the deep She," he observed obscurely, coming aft, "from all their works, good Lord deliver us!"

"What's the trouble now?"

"Nothing much—only your playful little friend has been up to another of her light-hearted tricks."

"If you should happen to want a smoke or anything hot to eat when you go below, just find a mirror and kiss yourself good-bye before striking the match. The drain-cocks of both fuel tanks have been opened, and there are upwards of a hundred and fifty gallons of highly explosive gasoline sloshing round in the bilge!"

V—NO QUARTER.

"Yes, yes," said Mr. Barcus indulgently, breaking a long silence. "Very interesting. Very interesting, indeed. I've seldom listened to a more entertaining life-history, my poor young friend."

But I tell you candidly, as man to man, I don't believe one word of it. It's all damn foolshness!"

His voice took on a plaintive accent. "Particularly this!" he expostulated, and waved an indignant hand, compassing their plight.

"The rest of your adventures are reasonable enough," he said; "they won my credulity—and I'm a native son of Missouri. But this chapter is impossible. And that's flat. It couldn't happen—and has. And there, in a manner of speaking, we are!"

The wind had gone down with the sun, leaving the Seaventure becalmed—her motor long since inert for want of fuel—in shoal water a mile or so off the desolate and barren coast that Barcus, out of his abounding knowledge of those waters, named Nanset Beach.

Still another mile farther off-shore, the so-called Gloucester fisherman rode, without motion, waters as still and glassy. Through the gloaming, with the aid of glasses, figures might be seen moving about her decks; and as it grew still more dark she lowered a small boat that theretofore had swung in davits. A little later a faint humming noise drifted across the tide.

"Power tender," the owner of the Seaventure interpreted. "Coming to call, I presume. Sociable lot. What I can't make out is why they seem to think it necessary to tow our dory back. Uneasy conscience, maybe—what?"

He lowered the binoculars and glanced inquiringly at his employer, who grunted his disgust, and said no more.

"Don't take it so hard, old top," Barcus advised with a change of note from irony to sympathy. Then he rose and dived down the companionway, presently to reappear with a megaphone and a double-barreled shotgun.

"No cutting-out parties in this outfit," he explained, grinning amiably. "None of that old stuff, revised to suit your infatuated female friend: Once aboard the lugger and the man is mine!"

Stationing himself at the seaward rail, where his figure would show in sharp silhouette against the glowing sunset sky, he brandished the shotgun at arm's length above his head, and bellowed stentorously through the megaphone:

"Keep off! Keep off! This means you! Come within gunshot and I'll blow your fool heads off!"

Putting aside the megaphone, he sat down again.

"Not that I'd dare fire this blunderbuss," he confessed, "with this reek of gasoline; but just for moral effect. Phew-w! I'd give a dollar for a breath of clean air: I've inhaled so much gas in the last few hours, I'm dry-cleaned down to my silly old toes!"

For thirty minutes nothing happened, other than that the sound of the fisherman's launch was still. It rested motionless in the waters, two figures mysteriously busy in its cockpit; the Seaventure's dory trailing behind it on a long painter.

Gradually these details became blurred, and were blotted out by the closing shadows. The afterglow in the west grew cool and faint. The crimson waters darkened, to mauve, to violet, to a translucent green, to blackness. Far up the coast two white eyes, peering over the horizon, stared steadfastly through the dark. "Chatham lights," Barcus said they were.

Abruptly he dropped the glasses and jumped up.

"Hear that!" he cried.

Now the humming of the motor was again audible and growing louder with every instant; and Alan, getting to his feet in turn, infected with the excitement of Barcus, could just make out at some distance a dark shadow beneath a dim, spluttering glimmer of light, that moved swiftly and steadily toward the Seaventure.

"What the devil!" he demanded, puzzled.

"You uttered a mouthful when you said 'devil'!"

Barcus commented, grasping his arm and hurrying him to the landward side of the vessel. "Quick—kick off your shoes—get set for a mile-long swim! Devil's work, all right!" he panted, hastily divesting himself of shoes and outer garments.

He sprang upon the rail, steadying himself with a stay. "Ready?" he asked. "Look sharp!"

By way of answer, Alan joined him; the two had dived as one, entering the water with a single splash, and coming to the surface a good ten yards from the Seaventure. For the next several seconds they were swimming frantically, and not until three hundred feet or more separated them from the schooner did either dare pause for breath or a backward glance.

Then the impact of the launch against the Seaventure's side rang out across the waters, and with a husky roar the launch blew up, spewing skywards a widespread fan of flame. Over the Seaventure, as this flamed and died, pale fire seemed to hover like a tremulous pall of phosphenescence, a weird and ghastly glare that suddenly descended to the decks. There followed a crackling noise, a sound as of the labored breathing of a giant; and bright flames, orange, crimson, violet and gold, licked out all over the schooner, from stem to stern, from deck to topmasts.

It seemed several minutes that she burned in this wise—it was probably not so long—before her decks blew up and the flames swept roaring to the sky.

By the time that Alan and Barcus, swimming steadily, had gained a shore which permitted them footing in waist-deep waters, the Seaventure had burned to the water's edge.

(To be continued.)



"Once Aboard and the Man Is Mine."

watches—saw the sun lift up smiling over a world of tumbled blue water, crossed the wake of a Cunard liner inbound for Boston, raised and overhauled a graceful but businesslike fisherman (from Gloucester, Barcus opined when called to stand his trick at eight) and saw it a mile or two astern when—still aching with fatigue—he was free to return to his berth for another four-hour rest.

This time misguided consideration induced Barcus to let his crew sleep through the first afternoon watch. Six bells were ringing when, in drowsy apprehension that something had gone suddenly and radically wrong, Alan waked.

He was on deck again almost before he rubbed the sleepiness from his eyes, emerging abruptly from the half-light of the cabin to a dazzle of sunlight that filled the cup of day with rarefied gold, even as he passed from conviction of security to realization of immediate and extraordinary peril.

His first glance discovered the wheel deserted, the woman with back to him standing at the taffrail, Barcus—nowhere to be seen. The second confirmed his surmise that the Seaventure had come up into the wind, and now was yawing off wildly into the trough of a stiff if not heavy sea.

A third showed him to his amazement the Gloucester fisherman—overhauled with such ease that morning and now, by rights, well down the northern horizon—not two miles distant, and standing squarely for the smaller vessel.

Bewildered, he darted to the girl's side, with a shout demanding to know what was the matter. She turned to him a face he hardly recognized—but still he didn't understand. The inevitable inference seemed a thing unthinkable; his brain faltered when asked to credit it. Only when he saw her tearing frantically at the painter, striving to cast it off and with it the dory towing a hundred feet or so astern, and when another wondering glance had discovered the head and shoulders of Mr. Barcus rising over the stern of the dory as he strove to lift himself out of the water—only then did Alan begin to appreciate what had happened.

Even so, it was with the feeling that all the world and himself as well had gone stark, raving mad, that he seized the girl and, despite her struggles, tore her away from the rail before she had succeeded in unknitting the painter.

"Rose!" he cried stupidly. "Rose! What's the matter with you? Don't you see what you're doing?"

Defiance informed her countenance and accents. "Can't you ever say anything but 'Rose! Rose! Rose!'? Is there no other name that means anything to you? Can't you understand how intolerable it is to me? I love you no less than she—better than she ever dreamed of loving you—because I hate you, too! What is love that is no more than a trap? Can't you understand that?"

Nor Did They Know They Were Riding With a Spy.

fallen: "I may have some trouble scaring up a crew at short notice. I had two men engaged, but last week they got tired doing nothing for nothing and left me flat."

"Then that's settled," Alan said. "I know boats: I'll be your crew—and the better satisfied to have nobody else aboard."

The eyes of Mr. Barcus clouded. "See here, my headlong friend, what's your little game, anyway? I don't mind playing the fool on the high seas, but I'll be no party to a kidnapping or—"

"It's an elopement," Alan interrupted on inspiration. "We've simply got to get clear of Portland by midnight."

"You're on!" Barcus agreed promptly, his face clearing. "God only knows why I believe you, but I do—and here's my hand!"

III—BLUE WATER.

Anxiety ate like an acid at Alan's heart. If this shift to the sea might be thought a desperate venture, he was a weathered salt-water man and undismayed: nothing would have been more to his liking than a brisk coastwise cruise in an able boat—under auspices less forbidding.

But when he re-entered the hotel, one surprising thing happened that gave him new heart: momentarily it seemed almost as if his luck had turned. For as he paused by the desk of the cashier to demand his bill, the elevator gate opened and Rose came out eagerly to meet him, with an eager air of hope that masked measurably the signs of fatigue.

"I worried so I couldn't rest," she told him guardedly as he drew her aside; "so I got up and ready, and watched from the window till I saw you drive up."

He acquainted her briefly with his fortune.

But she seemed unable to echo his confidence or even to overcome the heaviness of her spirits when their cab without misadventure set them down at the wharf.

Here, Alan had feared, was the crucial point of danger: if the influence of the Trey of Hearts was to bring disaster upon them, it would be here, in the hush and darkness of this deserted waterfront. And he bore himself most warily as he helped the girl from the car and to the gangplank of the Seaventure. But nothing happened; while Mr. Barcus was as good as his word. Alan had barely set foot on deck, following the girl, when

THE WEEK'S NEWS REVIEWED IN BRIEF

Glimpses of the World at Large, Little News Stories of the Carolinas, and a Resume of Local Doings Prepared for the Busy Man and the Week-End Reader

Of General Interest Brief News Stories of The Carolinas The Week Locally

DAILY WAR DEVELOPMENTS

Monday Morning.—Japan had come into the war of nations, the emperor having declared war on Germany. The Japanese fleet and land forces were ready for the struggle around Kiaochow. The German protectorate in China-Austria apparently was eliminated from the conflict in the Far East. The French and British were facing the greater part of the German army along a battle line which extended from Mons to the Luxembourg frontier.

Tuesday Morning.—The French and British troops, opposing the invasion of the Germans in Belgium, had suffered a serious reverse, according to official announcement issued by the French war office, their plan of attack having failed and they having retired to cover. The losses on both sides were reported extremely heavy. The day of waiting has brought the realities of war to the British people. Not before had the whole nation been so deeply moved.

Wednesday Morning.—The French commander-in-chief had withdrawn his forces from the territory recently occupied and was massing them along with their British allies in a strong line a distance of about 200 miles. The allies had abandoned the offensive and assumed the defensive. The French war office had admitted that upon the ability of the allies to hold the Germans depended the fate of France.

Thursday Morning.—So far as could be gleaned from official announcements, the great battle line along the French frontier continued to be the scene of engagements between the opposing armies, but the results of the engagements were not announced. Both sides were claiming some victories. Tension was so acute in Constantinople that diplomats feared that Turkey might at any moment be drawn into the war on the side of Germany and Austria.

Friday Morning.—The French and British armies on a battle line 250 miles across were strenuously opposing the advance of the German forces across the French frontier. The British troops were reported to be occupying a strong position and supported on both flanks by the French. The German steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse had been sunk by a British cruiser off the west coast of Africa. It was reported that British marines had occupied Ostend to prevent the Germans from getting a foothold on the English channel. The situation between Japan and Austria was described in Tokyo as a "rupture of diplomatic relations, not war."

Saturday Morning.—In a battle with British warships off the island of Heligoland, in the North Sea, Friday, the Germans are reported to have lost two cruisers and two torpedo boats sunk, while other vessels were badly battered. The British claimed not to have lost a vessel, and but few men. German casualties were not stated. News of the warfare on land was scarce. The French war office said there had been no change in the situation on the frontier, while the English officials said nothing. Paris was preparing for prospective siege by the Germans, while the English were reinforcing their army in the field, drawing on British India for large numbers of troops.

The cotton warehouse license bill passed the Senate Monday.

Two merchant vessels were sunk by mines near the English coast a week ago.

Congress was engaged the past week with measures made necessary by the war in Europe.

General Villa declared he would not head a revolution against the Carranza government in Mexico.

General Carranza conferred with Zapata in an effort to have the rebel leader lay down his arms.

Vance C. McCormick, Democratic candidate for governor of Pennsylvania, will organize the boys to fight political corruption.

The warring nations of Europe will establish publicity bureaus in Washington to supply their sides of the conflict.

General Orozco, the Mexican Federal leader, was defeated by the Constitutionalist forces and fled towards the United States border.

The administration bill incorporating a \$10,000,000 company to own and operate ocean steamships was introduced in the House Monday.

LINCOLN HIGHWAY TO BE BEAUTIFIED BY TREES.

All Way Across Continent—Fruit Trees Part of Way.

The course of the Lincoln highway is to be beautified, from ocean to ocean, by the planting of trees and shrubs along each side of the roadway at a cost of \$25,000,000.

The General Federation of Women's Clubs has formulated plans for beautifying the highway and has already received pledges of nearly \$3,000,000. Co-operation of governors of the various States and mayors of the various cities, through which the highway passes, has been promised and local committees are being appointed in the districts.

Fruit trees will be planted along the roadside by several States which have adopted a plan of R. H. Williams, sales manager of the F. B. Stearns Company, Cleveland, O.

Williams has made several motor car trips over part of the highway, and has interested thousands of people in his fruit preservation plan.

"By planting fruit trees instead of merely ornamental shade trees, the birds are being killed with one stone," Williams declares. "When the fruit trees blossom in spring, the highway will become a bower of beauty. The shade from fruit trees will be just as good as that from any other trees, with the additional value of giving the motorist fresh fruit."

New Jersey has already indicated its intention to use fruit trees along the road and Pennsylvania is considering forest preservation in conjunction with American laurel for decoration.

Don't miss the Combination Auction this Tuesday. (advertisement)

Tobacco will not be one of the commodities upon which a special war tax will be levied.

An epidemic of highway robbery and burglary causing the authorities in a radius of 50 miles of Kinston a great deal of trouble.

Returns from the South Carolina Democratic primary, held Tuesday, indicate that John G. Richards and Richard J. Manning will enter the second primary September 8th for the gubernatorial nomination.

Secretary Daniels has received a 90-pound watermelon from John A. McRae, of Charlotte. The Secretary gave a watermelon party to newspaper men Wednesday afternoon. The melon is said to have been one of the finest ever sent to Washington.

Ellyson Durant Smith was re-nominated for the United States Senate from South Carolina over Governor Cole L. Blease in Tuesday's Democratic primary by a majority of between 12,000 and 13,000 according to partially complete returns.

Unofficial but authentic returns from all but two precincts show that Capt. John Henry Currie was nominated for the House of Representatives in the Democratic primary in Cumberland county Tuesday, defeating Mr. J. Sprunt Newton by a good majority.

Governor Craig issued an address to the people of North Carolina calling a conference of the farmers, manufacturers, bankers and business men of the State on September 1, in Raleigh, to consider the situation with reference to the cotton crop.

It is becoming more and more evident that what has now become known as the Wilmington plan for storing the present crop of cotton is going to be the ultimate solution of the present problem of the South in view of the European war developments.

Rev. D. J. Harrell, pastor of the Baptist church of Chadbourn, assisted by Rev. F. D. King, evangelist, of Charlotte, has just closed a very successful meeting at the Chadbourn Baptist church, there being 83 additions, about 60 for baptism.

The Corporation Commission has sent out to registrars of deeds in all the counties of the State the statements of the assessments for taxation that the commission has made against the corporations in their respective counties, there being upwards of six thousand of them in all.

Mrs. Kate Spencer and Miss Eula Cole, of Newbern, who have been in Norway and Sweden, sailed from Copenhagen Thursday a week ago and will arrive in New York today and will at once return to Newbern. At the opening of the war it was thought that these two ladies were in Russia and considerable anxiety was felt for their safety.

The National Medical Association, colored, representing physicians, pharmacists, and dentists of the United States, met in Raleigh Tuesday for a three-day session. There was a large meeting at the city auditorium where addresses of welcome were delivered by Governor Craig, Mayor James I. Johnson and Mr. John C. Dreyer, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Officers of the Federal court at Greensboro have been added to the list of those in an indictment in the United States Court at Charleston, S. C., against "Portland Ned," who is held at Greensboro on a charge of dynamiting the postoffice at Plymouth, N. C., and robbing it. The defendant, whose real name is J. P. Lister, says that he is innocent of the charges that are preferred against him.

The calendar for the next term of Federal court, in Wilmington, which will be convened on Tuesday, September 8th, by Judge Henry Groves Connor, has been arranged by Deputy Clerk S. P. Collier. Only admiralty and equity cases will be tried at this term and no jury will be summoned. Cases have been scheduled for Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday of the first week and for Tuesday of the second week.

Wednesday, September 3rd, will be the first anniversary of the death of the destructive storm which ever visited Eastern North Carolina, a storm which it is estimated caused damage aggregating more than five million dollars. The day of the storm will be remembered by the people along the coast and especially in Newbern and Washington where its effects were worst felt.

The plan for building cotton warehouses, sufficient to store at least one-half of the present crop of cotton, recently suggested by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, is being cordially received by the different cities and towns of the Carolinas. The plan was outlined in resolutions, introduced by Mr. J. Allan Taylor, and copies have been sent to every mayor and all commercial organizations throughout the Carolinas.

Paul and Kiffin Rockwell, brothers, young college graduates from Asheville, N. C., are among those who left London for Paris to enlist. Before departing Paul Rockwell said: "We came over to Europe just for a pleasure trip, but have made up our minds we want to fight for the allies. Belgium won our admiration by her game fight. France is in the thick of the fight and we want to help her out as best we can."

Dr. Cornelius Townsend Ford, of Mullins, S. C., died Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, in this city, where he had been undergoing treatment for a general breakdown since July 3rd. Dr. Ford was well known throughout South Carolina and this section of North Carolina, and the announcement of his death brought sorrow to many friends and acquaintances.

Senator Overman has introduced a bill amending the currency bill, which provides for a reduction of the tax rate fixed in that bill from 3 per cent to 1 per cent for the first three months, and a half per cent each month thereafter until the rate shall reach not exceeding 6 per cent. If Senator Overman's amendment is adopted, which now seems probable, it will enable the banks to lend money direct to the

farmers and business men at from 3 to 4 per cent.

The twelfth annual session of the North Carolina State Farmers' Convention opened Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock with an exception making much attendance, for a three-day session to be devoted to practical agricultural topics and demonstrations in which the splendid agricultural equipment of the A. & M. college will help the convention. The convention, held at the Raleigh Hotel, proved most valuable. There was a cordial greeting for the visiting farmers by Dr. D. H. Hill, president of the college.

After two days' session in which talk was the principal feature, the conference between Secretary McAdoo and representatives of the cotton interests adjourned Tuesday night making much progress. Secretary McAdoo, evidently concluding that no concrete plan could be adopted otherwise, appointed a committee to draft resolutions which it is believed will help the cotton growers of the South. D. Y. Cooper, of Henderson, was the only North Carolinian named on the committee.

After a conference with representative farmers, bankers and manufacturers held in Raleigh Tuesday, Governor Craig wired the governors of Georgia, Florida, Alabama, South Carolina, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Tennessee requesting them to meet with him and 50 delegates from each State, at a conference to be held in Atlanta September 3rd, to devise plans for dealing with the cotton crop and, if possible, the threatened disaster to the cotton crop of the South.

A report reaches here of a flinty encounter between Senator W. F. Evans and Representative D. M. Clark, Pitt county's representatives in the legislature, at Greenville. The two had not been friendly since the last session, when political differences arose between them. The present campaign brought on a renewal of the trouble, and newspaper articles by Evans and Clark applied to the difficulty of the session. The combatants were much hurt, sustaining only minor bruises and scratches.

Two important developments were in evidence at Monday's conference with Secretary McAdoo on the solution of the cotton situation. First, there is evidence of a feeling in favor of placing cotton in warehouse receipts, allowing enough money to tide the farmers over the rough places, and second, the statement of Secretary McAdoo to H. C. McQueen, president of the National Cotton Producers' Association, that he would so construe the Aldrich-Vreeland act as to permit the issuance of currency on the obligations of national banks secured by warehouse receipts for cotton stored.

An open letter has gone out to all the college presidents in the State calling attention to the increased danger from typhoid at this time of the year and to the value of the anti-typhoid vaccine now furnished free by the State. The college authorities were quick to see the importance of this preventive measure, and by return mail over 20 replies were received. Without exception every college president agreed to arrange to offer the treatment free of charge to their respective colleges this fall to all students who can be induced to thus protect themselves.

Under charge that he had secured goods under false pretense, Lee Morris, a young white man who went to Newbern from Jacksonville, Onslow county, some time ago, and secured a position in a saw mill near Jacksonville, was arrested and, failing to give a bond, was placed in the county jail until an officer could arrive from Onslow to take him back to answer to the charge against him. Lee Morris is a peculiarly pathetic one on account of the fact that the man was forced to leave his wife and a small child alone when he was placed in prison.

Rev. Robert Strange, for 10 years Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina of the Protestant Episcopal Church, died at his home here Sunday afternoon after an illness of nearly a year. He was a native of Wilmington and was 67 years old. Prior to his elevation to the bishopric he was rector of a church in Raleigh; then he came to Wilmington, where he was rector of St. James' church for 13 years. He then became rector of St. Paul's church in Richmond, Va. The funeral was from St. James' church Tuesday afternoon and was conducted by Bishop Cheshire.

Relatives in Onslow county have received a message from Rev. R. M. Von Miller, Baptist minister at Jacksonville, who went to Germany several weeks ago for a short visit and who was in Berlin when the present war broke out, in which he states that he is in no danger so far and will return to the United States at the very first opportunity. Rev. Mr. Von Miller went to Germany to settle up the estate of his father who died a few months ago and he said that he will conclude his business before returning. The pastor has served his time in the German army and therefore cannot be forced into service again.

Collector J. W. Bailey and United States Marshal W. T. Dortch, of Raleigh, conferred with Assistant Attorney General Graham Monday in Washington, and when they had concluded their talk, it was announced that seven of the 14 deputy marshals would be placed on a salary basis and the remaining three would be left on the fee basis. It is understood that there may be some changes in the district, but the main idea in making these changes will be to place those on salary whose duties in the past have been such as to require fees in sufficient amounts as to approximate a salary basis. It was stated also that the change would greatly increase the efficiency of the marshals' force.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 29, 1914.—Sealed proposals for construction of the motor survey boat Neuse will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, Sept. 25, 1914, and then publicly opened. Information on application. H. W. Stickley, Maj. Engrs.

Tuesday is the day of the Combination Auction Realty Sale. Commences 10:00 A. M. (advertisement.)

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The weekly session of City Council Wednesday morning was unusually short and of little interest. With the exception of Councilman Wood, who is out of the city, all members were present, and Mayor Moore presided. The session was very brief and adjourned at 10:30 o'clock.

For the first time in a dozen years, dredging the lower Cape Fear will cease for an indefinite period on September 1st. This action has been made necessary on account of the failure of Congress to pass the act authorizing appropriation of \$115,000 for work on the Cape Fear project to secure a depth of 25 feet to the sea.

The handsome new Hotel Wilmington, corner Front and Walnut streets, threw open its doors to the public Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock and held open house from that time until late hour. Messrs. T. A. Green and R. C. Greenham, the owners, Mr. Ham Adams, the manager, and the clerical staff and other assistants were kept busy the entire evening greeting the many callers and showing them over the building.

Not the least of the many valuable assets of New Hanover county are her splendid roads. Not only are they being improved constantly but every effort is being made to keep them in the best of repair. The road from Wilmington to Castle Haynes is especially worthy of commendation and it is hard to believe that a better road could have been built. The road is hard and smooth and the grading well and perfect.

The grading of the results shown by the inspection of the soft drying stands, restaurants, ice cream factories and bottling works of the city, made by the health department during the month of July, has been completed and the scores announced. This is the first time that such an inspection and scoring system has been tried here, but it is planned by the health department to make it a monthly feature.

Mr. Theo. S. Meekins, of Manteo, district inspector of the biological bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture, having in charge the enforcement of the Federal game laws in the section of the State, has been in the city for the purpose of making preparations for a vigorous policy of game law enforcement for the coming season, especially with reference to the unlawful destruction of migratory game birds protected under the Weeks-McLean law.

Mr. Wm. H. Sprunt returned to the city Tuesday from Washington, D. C. where he attended on Monday, through invitation of Secretary McAdoo, of the Treasury Department, the conference of representatives of all branches of the cotton industry. Mr. Sprunt attended as a representative of the well known exporting firm of Alex. Sprunt & Son. The conference was attended by a number of other prominent exporters also, in addition to representatives of the growers, manufacturers and bankers from all the cotton States.

After an absence of five weeks from Wilmington, during which time they visited various European cities and had many thrilling experiences, Messrs. W. R. Cooper and Charles Price arrived in Wilmington Wednesday morning. Mr. Cooper, after visiting Berlin and Paris and other interior cities of the continent, returned to London and sailed for Liverpool to Quebec, Canada. Mr. Price, who is manager of the Cooper Cotton Company, sailed from Havre, France, direct to New York.

That the burden of the responsibility for plunging all Europe into war lies upon the czar of Russia is the opinion of Mr. W. R. Cooper, prominent local capitalist and business man, just back from a few weeks' tour through England, France and Germany, made just preceding and during the first few days of hostilities. This opinion Mr. Cooper formed from the discussions he had with foreign business men of different nationalities, with whom he had ample opportunity to exchange views on the subject.

After making a thorough investigation of all circumstances in any way connected with the mysterious disappearance here on Saturday night of young F. Deth, his brothers, Mr. S. A. Deal, of Lenoir, and Mr. A. L. Deal, of Mooreville, and his uncle, Mr. J. C. Deaton, all of whom were in the city Wednesday, expressed doubt as to the supposed suicide of their relative. They have not formed any theory as to why he disappeared, nor do they have an idea where he is hidden, but they declare that there is little evidence to show that he had any reason to commit suicide.

Sheriff Herring, of Duplin county, arrived here Tuesday and took back with him that night to Wallace James Singletary, Ed Leak and David Devane, three of a gang of negro thieves that are supposed to have been working up and down the several railroad lines entering Wilmington for the past several weeks, their latest depredations having been at Wallace, where they broke into the company store of the Camp Manufacturing Company, the store of Mr. J. B. Money and are charged with having held up and robbed young Mr. O. L. Dempsey, of Wallace, relieving him of about \$7.50 in cash.

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BIDS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL CONTRACT

The Board of Education will receive bids for the following work up to 12 o'clock M., September 1st, 1914:

SIDEWALKS.

1. For constructing sidewalks in front of Southside School, along Meares street, from Fourth to Fifth, and from front steps of building to Meares street. Bids to be submitted per square yard and Board of Education will guarantee not less than 300 square yards.

2. For constructing sidewalks in front of Northside schools along Sixth street and from front steps to Sixth street. Bids to be submitted per square yard, and at least 200 square yards guaranteed by Board of Education.

Specifications must be same as those required by city for sidewalks and approved by city engineer. All of the above work must be completed by September 15th.

DEEP WELLS.

1. For boring deep wells at the following schools: Northside, at Sixth and Harnett; Southside, at Fourth and Meares; Wrightsville, at white school house near Jones' crossing. Wells to be of depth that will be a guarantee against surface pollution, and to be equipped with deep well pump, and pure water guaranteed and analysis approved by Board of Health. No payment will be made until well is accepted, except \$25, which will be advanced when well has reached depth of 50 feet. Work must be completed by September 25th.

SANITARY CLOSETS.

For building sanitary closets and septic tanks with proper discharges, according to plans provided by Board of Health, as follows:

1. One at Delgado Public School, sufficient to accommodate 125 persons.
2. One at Winter Park Gardens, sufficient to accommodate 125 persons.
3. One at Seagate School (white), sufficient to accommodate 125 persons.
4. One at Wrightsville School (white), sufficient to accommodate 75 persons.
5. One at Castle Haynes, sufficient to accommodate 100 pupils.

The above bids are to include all cement work, pipe, etc., sufficient to make a complete job, except the house which is not included in this bid.

This work is to be completed not later than September 20th, and will be paid for when approved by the Board of Health and accepted by the Board of Education.

The bidders will bid on each of the above items as to sidewalks, etc., wells and closets separately, but may bid on one or more as desired. Board of Health will furnish the desired plans and specifications for closets, and all bids must be filed by noon, September 1st, with

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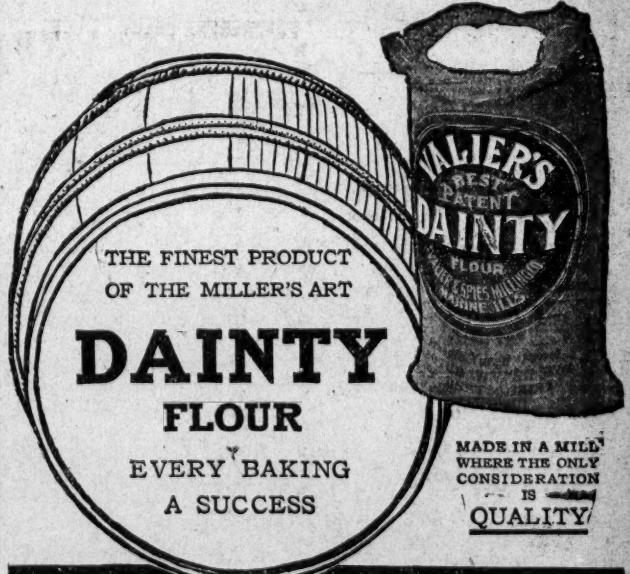
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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

ESTIMATE IS INCREASED

Private Reports Received in New York Create a Tendency in Market to Expect Large Crop.

New York, Aug. 29.—The tendency to increase the estimates of the cotton crop was encouraged here today by the publication of a private report indicating an average condition of 77.6 per cent against 71.4 last year. No fresh feature was reported in the situation here regarding old contracts, but the Liverpool deliveries arrived according to schedule and next week's conferences are expected to have an important bearing upon the question of re-opening the exchange. Manchester reports that uncertainty as to the duration of the moratorium is restricting business, but that sales are some. Larger and payments more satisfactory.

WEEKLY DRYGOODS REVIEW.

Cotton Goods Markets Are Still Very Uncertain in Report.

New York, August 29.—Cotton goods markets are still very much unsettled and irregular. The declining prices of cotton is deterring buying from operating in any firm way, and financial complications of many kinds resulting from high money, and to the difficulties of adjusting values. Printcloths continue very weak and prints are low. The printers are expected from operating because of the closing of avenues for exports and difficulties attending the securing of dye stuffs, supplies. Finecombed yarn goods continue very steady and the demand appears to be broadening. Certain grades of heavy sheetings hold their values because of large sales made for bag purposes. Denims, tickings and other heavy colored cottons, are not being offered for any late delivery as dyers are unable to secure materials to supplement the limited stocks on hand. Duck seems steady. Jobbers and retailers are confining their operations to nearby purchases as a rule. Trade on the middle west continues above last year. Mills continue to curtail by extending the periods for annual vacations of operatives. The feeling is still strong among merchants that eventually, when money and transportation difficulties are removed there will come a large demand for export which will aid in about a much healthier condition to prices. Values are more or less nominal, quotations being as follows:

DAILY PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Receipts, 113; exports, 160; stock, 51,682.
Galveston—Receipts, 3618; stock, 42,786.
Mobile—Receipts, 81; stock, 2,477.
Savannah—Receipts, 537; stock, 11,169.
Charleston—Receipts, 128; stock, 1,824.
Wilmington—Stock, 1,768.
Norfolk—Stock, 12,900.
Baltimore—Stock, 2,000.
Boston—Receipts 53; stock, 8,900.
Philadelphia—Stock, 2,505.
New York—Stock, 49,171.
Minor ports—Receipts, 993; stock, 1,823.
Total today—Receipts, 5,201; export, 164; stock, 230,813.
Total for season—Receipts, 10,471,124; exports, 8,881,145.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Receipts, 3,754; shipments, 2,829; stock, 32,256.
Memphis—Receipts, 69; shipments, 85; stock, 14,748.
Augusta—Receipts, 84; shipments, 551; stock, 224; sales, 252; stock, 9,591.
St. Louis—Receipts, 123; shipments, 123; stock, 14,778.
Cincinnati—Stock, 12,305.
Little Rock—Stock, 5,407.
Total today—Receipts, 4,497; shipments, 3,267; stock, 89,278.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, August 29.—The primary cotton goods market was quiet today. Prices on unfinished goods were irregular. Buyers offered to place contracts on printcloths and brown sheetings under the prices established on Friday, but these propositions were not accepted. Linen prices pointed upward for forward delivery. Advances of half cent to 3/4 cent were made on domestic linen crapes and toweling. Some sellers of mens and womens cotton knit underwear reduced their prices on goods for the Fall season. European values were firm.

WAYNE TOBACCO AND COTTON CROPS FINE.

Goldboro Tobacco Market Opens on Tuesday.

Goldboro, N. C., Aug. 29.—The Goldboro tobacco market will open promptly on September 1st as extensively advertised. The crop is good in this section and with the increased facility now offered by the Goldboro market it is evident that more tobacco will be sold here this season than ever before in its history.

It was feared several weeks ago that the dry weather had greatly injured the cotton crop in this section, but that impression seemed to have vanished with better seasons later in the summer for the development of the fruitage. On sandy lands the cotton crop is particularly fine and from indications it appears that the farmers are just beginning to learn how to cultivate sandy lands. There are quantities of this kind of land in Wayne county, which a few years ago would not have brought \$10 per acre, that cannot now be purchased for \$100 per acre, the way was made notwithstanding and it is no unusual thing for \$200 and \$300 per acre to be cleared on this same light sandy land cultivated in tobacco.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET

Liverpool, August 29.—Spot cotton unchanged, no sales, receipts 1,000 bales including 800 American.

Concerts at Lumbus Today.
Popular concert afternoon 3:30. Special concert night 8:30. Programs include selections from "Madame Butterfly," "Rigoletto," "Babes in Toyland," Egyptian Ballet Suite—Admission.

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 29.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nominal.
ROBIN—Nominal.
TAR—Quilt, 3.00 per barrel; per gallon, 9/16.
CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nominal.
5.00 per barrel for soft; 3.00 per barrel for virgin; 2.00 per barrel for hard.
Quotations same day last year—
Spirits turpentine, steady, 37; rosin, firm, 3.60; tar, firm, 2.20-10c; crude, firm, 8.60, 3.00, 1.00.
Receipts.
Spirits Turpentine 3
Rosin 25
Tar 11
Crude Turpentine 8
Receipts same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 32 casks; rosin, 181 barrels; tar, 24 barrels; crude turpentine, 11 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot, middling, nominal; last year, nominal.
Receipts—() sales; same day last year, 10 bales.
Receipts same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 32 casks; rosin, 181 barrels; tar, 24 barrels; crude turpentine, 11 barrels.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, August 29.
Atlantic Coast Line—5 barrels rosin; 11 barrels tar; 8 barrels crude turpentine.
Schr. St. Paul—3 casks spirits turpentine; 10 barrels rosin.
Total—3 casks spirits turpentine; 25 barrels rosin; 11 barrels tar; 8 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 29.)
CORN—\$2.10 per sack.
POTATOES—Irish potatoes, \$1.00 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, \$1.25 per bu.
PEAS—Out of season.
BEANS—Native dressed, 8@9c; very dull.
WHEAT—Small, 10@12 cents; large, no sale.
SHEEP—No sale. Lambs, \$1.50 to \$2.50 per head.
WOOL—Burry, 14 to 15c; black wool, 18 to 17c; first-class white wool, 21c, free, 20@21c per lb.
HIDES—Green salt, 12c; dry flints, 17@19c per lb.
NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 30c, dull; sides and shoulders, 15c per lb.

BEEFWAX—Firm, 38@39c per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45@50c; spring, 12@13c per head. Very dull.

EGGS—30c@31c per doz; good demand.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)
Petersburg, Va., July 27.
Spanish—Market Steady—Farmers' Spanish \$1.10 per bushel.
Virginia—Firm—Jumbo 4c per lb. Fancy Hand Picked 3 1/2 to 4c per lb. Extra Prime 3 1/2 to 3 3/4 per lb. Prime 3 1/4 per lb. Machine Picked 3 1/4 to 3 1/2 per lb.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Pumphrey & Co.)
Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 29.—North Carolina Peanuts: Market weaker; receipts, light; fancy hand-picked, 85c. No. 1, machine picked, 80c.
Virginia—Steady. Fancy hand picked, \$1.00; No. 1, machine picked, 95c per bushel.
Spanish—Weaker, \$1.00 per bushel.

FOODSTUFFS AND FEED.

(Quotations of Friday, by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)
Patent Flour—\$5.50 to \$6.25 per barrel.
Corn—Domestic, \$1.15; Imported, \$1.00 to \$1.05.
Meal—86 lbs., \$2.15.
Oats—Mixed, 58c; white, 60c per bushel.
Middlings—\$34.00 to \$35.00.
Hay—No. 1, Timothy, \$25.00; No. 1, Mixed, \$24.00.
D. S. Sides—14 1/2 to 14 3/4; Plates, 13c to 13 1/2c.
Lard—8c to 9 1/4c.
Coffee—11 1/2c to 16c.
Rice—3 1/2c to 4 1/4c.
Sugar—Fluctuating. (Present cost in New York, 7 1/4c.)
Molasses—As it stands, 40c per gallon.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, August 29.—The cotton seed oil market was a little easier at the start, owing to tenders of 1500 September notices, but rallied on renewed buying on the firmness of lard market. Closing prices were one point net lower to three points higher.
The market closed as follows: Spot 68@69; September 67@68; October 67@68; November 66@67; December 65@66; January 64@65; February 63@64; March 62@63. Total sales 400.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, August 29.—Hogs higher, bulk 85@86; light 88@90, mixed 87@88; heavy 85@86; rough 85@86; pigs 65@66. Cattle steady. Beefers 67 1/2@68 1/2; steers 65@66; stockers and feeders 55@56; cows and heifers 50@52; calves 75@76; 11 1/2. Sheep, week 47 1/2@50, yearlings 55@60, lambs 57 1/2@75.

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PROVISIONS & GRAIN ADVANCE

All Chicago Board of Trade Speculative Markets Advance As Result of War.

Chicago, August 29.—All board of trade speculative markets advanced today, wheat 2 to 2 1/2 corn 1/4 to 1/2 oats 1 to 1 1/4, and provisions from 1/4 to 5/8. Oats enjoyed the best market of the day and volume of trade while only fairly large being equal to that in wheat and corn combined.
Grain and provisions closed:
Wheat—September, 107; December, 111 1/4; May, 113 1/4.
Corn—September, 80; December, 72 1/4; Oats—September, 48 1/4; December, 51 1/4.
Pork—September, 20 1/2; January, 23 1/2.
Lard—September, 10 1/2; October, 10 1/2; November, 10 1/2; December, 10 1/2; January, 10 1/2.
Ribs—September, 10 1/2; October, 10 1/2; November, 10 1/2; December, 10 1/2; January, 10 1/2.
ash grain: Wheat No. 2 red 107 1/4; No. 2 hard 106 1/4; No. 2 soft 105 1/4; Oats September, 48 1/4; December, 51 1/4.

E. A. STEVENS NOMINATED FOR THE STATE SENATE.

M. H. Allen and F. R. Mints for House, Wayne Democrats Harmonious.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Goldboro, N. C., Aug. 29.—The Wayne county Democratic convention was held here today. Col. A. C. Davis was chairman of the convention and in a splendid Democratic speech sounded the keynote of the campaign in Wayne county. The following were regularly nominated:

R. H. Edwards, sheriff; John B. Hooks, clerk of Superior Court; L. H. Reeves, register of deeds; E. A. Stevens, State senator; F. R. Mints and M. H. Allen, for House; D. H. Bland, judge county court, and E. A. Humphrey, county court solicitor; C. D. Stanley, coroner; Lewis Godwin, surveyor; C. D. Taylor, treasurer, and I. P. Ormond, C. F. Herring, R. A. Whitfield, D. N. Newcome and W. R. Martin, for county commissioners.

The convention was largely attended. Good order, harmony and great enthusiasm prevailed and the county chairman, Mr. Geo. C. Kornegay, was greatly complimented for his management and the excellent condition of Democracy in the county.

After it was announced that Senator Hooks would not permit his name to go before the convention, the nomination for senator was tendered Mr. M. H. Allen, who was the leading candidate for the lower House, but Mr. Allen declined the nomination for the Senate. Mr. Allen was the leading candidate for the House, having more than sixty votes instructed for him when it only takes 48 to nominate.

NAVAL STORES MARKET

Savannah, August 29.—Turpentine nominal, no sales, receipts 500, shipments 111, stocks 30,444. Rosin nominal. No sales, receipts 513, shipments 2,569, stocks 12,145. Quote: A, B, 350; C, D, 332; E, F, G, H, I, 355; K, 415; M, 450; N, 600; W, G, 625; W, W, 635.

CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT

New York, August 29.—The statement of the average condition of the clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that the cash reserve increased \$6,852,900, still leaving a deficit of \$23,557,000 below legal requirements.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, August 29.—Sugar holiday. Butter steady. Cheese quiet.

Delicious Concord Grapes—Phone your grocer.—Advertisement.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.
August 30, 1914.
Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:
Temperature at 9 A. M., 78 degrees; at 8 P. M., 75 degrees; maximum, 87 degrees; minimum, 75 degrees; mean, 81 degrees.
Rainfall for the day, .03; rainfall for the month to date, 7.42 inches.
Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Tuesday, 7 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Local thunder-showers Sunday; Monday fair.

The Port Calendar, Aug. 30, 1914.
Sun sets 5:44 A. M.
Sun sets 6:41 P. M.
Day's length 12 hrs. 57 min.

THE TIDES.

High Water. Low Water.
Wilmington 5:12 5:58 12:07 12:29
Sauthport 3:10 3:49 9:21 10:31
Masonboro Inlet. 2:59 3:38 9:01 10:11

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

August 29, 1914.

Weather at Wilmington, N. C., August 29, 1914.

Abilene cldy 90 70 .0
Asheville cldy 82 66 .01
Atlanta cldy 84 68 .14
Augusta rain 86 72 .30
Birmingham . cldy 86 70 .02
Boston rain 62 58 .38
Charlotte . . . cldy 88 76 .02
Chicago clear 74 62 .00
Cincinnati . . . clear 88 82 .00
Jacksonville . cldy 92 72 .00
Memphis clear 74 66 .00
Mobile cldy 90 76 .10
Montgomery . cldy 88 70 .18
New Orleans . cldy 88 72 .32
New York cldy 74 62 .32
Oklahoma cldy 84 62 .56
Palestine cldy 92 74 .00
Pittsburg cldy 78 66 .66
Raleigh clear 88 74 .00
Savannah rain 90 74 .08
Shreveport . . . clear 92 76 .36
St. Louis cldy 76 62 .01
Washington . . . cldy 90 70 .27

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, August 29.—Mercantile paper 7, sterling exchange nominal, cables 608; demand 607. Bar silver 53.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed by Walter H. Swenson and wife to the undersigned, said mortgage bearing date September 6th, 1912, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, North Carolina, in Book No. 69, at page 238, default having been made thereunder, the undersigned will, on Thursday, the 24th day of September, 1914, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door of the County of New Hanover, aforesaid, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all that certain tract, piece or parcel of land, lying, being and situate in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Western line of Twelfth Street 139 feet South from its intersection with the Southern line of Dawson Street, and running thence Southwardly along said line of Twelfth Street the same being a part of lot 4 in block No. 41, according to the official plan of said city.
This the 22nd day of August, 1914.
MORSE BELLAMY,
auct'rs l'audt Mortgage.

WALTER A. WOOD MOWING MACHINES AND HORSE RAKES

We are this day receiving our first carload of these Superior Machines. We will put them up against any machine sold and controlled by the great Harvester Trust.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.
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25 PER CENT OFF

On Men's, Boys' and Childrens' Clothing. Straw and Panama Hats at Half Price.

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Phone 673. Next to the Bijou

WARRANTS ISSUED BY THE CITY COUNCIL

For the Month of July, 1914.

Addressograph Co.	Supplies—W. & S.	
Standard Supply Co.	Supplies—W. & S.	
Gunn Disinfecting Co.	Disinfectants—Sanitary Dept.	
Wilmington Iron Works	Supplies—W. & S.	
Giblem Lodge	Rent—Election	
C. H. White	Pay Roll	8,209.02
J. C. Dickinson	Insurance	
C. H. White	Insurance building	
Wildor & Metts	Insurance	
C. H. White	Pay roll	1,214.31
Piate Ice Co.	Ice	
Evening Dispatch	Printing	
Cape Fear Gravel Co.	Gravel	518.83
Joe Hines	Cart hire	
Democrat Printing Company	Printing—Library	
Atlantic Coast Line	Freight	544.86
Keuffel & Esser Co.	Supplies—Engineering Dept.	
Clayton Giles & Son	Insurance	
J. W. Buck	Pictures—W. & S.	
Chadbourne Lumber Co.	Lumber	4.36
Walker Taylor	Insurance	38.83
W. L. Stamp and Pig.	Printing	26.50
N. J. Williams	Detectives	8.50
J. C. King	Unloading cars	86.25
Schutt Bros.	Drugs—Sanitary Dept.	3.75
C. H. White	Pay roll	1,214.31
W. B. McClellan & Son	Diff. in exchange horses	22.50
Joe Hines	Cart hire	14.87
J. C. McAllister	Expenses to South Bend, Ind.	75.23
Thos. D. Meares, Treas.	Coupons	12,368.00
R. C. DeRosier	Office supplies	1.75
A. C. L.	Freight	57.07
C. H. White	Incidentals	30.30
C. H. White	Pay roll	1,240.73
Kelly-Springfield Rd. Rl. Co.	Repairs for road roller	102.50
Studebaker Co.	Street flusher	1,152.11
J. B. McCabe	Auditing books	150.00
Murray Transfer Co.	Loss and Damage	15.00
C. H. White	Pay roll	5,064.79
Jno. H. Whiteman	Hauling brick	64.09
Jno. J. Furlong	Hauling brick	1,064.84
National Park Bank	Coupons—commission	22.50
Red Cross Society	Monthly appropriation	126.00
Jas. Walker Memo. Hospital	Monthly appropriation	666.67
Cape Fear Gravel Co.	Gravel	3,975.52
C. S. A. L.	Freight	1,036.60
C. H. White	Pay roll	3,386.60
Murchison Nat. Bank	Coupons	720.00
Board of Health	Monthly appropriation	1,487.81
Thos. H. Wright	Back tax refund	103.83
C. H. White	Pay roll	3,082.83
J. H. Whiteman	Hauling brick	71.70
Jno. J. Furlong	Hauling brick	144.25
W. E. Merritt, Supt.	Incidentals—W. & S.	98.18
Cantwell Lumber Co.	Lumber	
Wilmington Stamp & Pig. Co.	Printing	
E. K. Bryan	Professional services	
Chas. Finkelstein	Supplies—Police	
Independent Ice Co.	Ice	
Queen City Cycle Co.	Supplies—Police	
Review Job Office	Printing	
Kidder Lumber Co.	Rent—Disposal Plant	
C. W. Yates & Co.	Office supplies	
Wilmington Grocery Co.	Supplies—Police	
Sam'l Beasley, Jr. & Son	Supplies—Fire	
Wilmington Star Co.	Printing and advertising	
J. T. and J. O. Brown	Repairs	
Wilmington Hdwr. Co.	Supplies—W. & S.	
H. E. Longley	Plumbing	
A. D. Brown	Supplies	
L. A. Bilbro	Repair to harness	
Tidewater Power Co.	Street lighting	
Postal Tel. Co.	Telegrams	
Thos. Quinlivan & Son	Shoeing horses	
D. Quinlivan	Shoeing horses	
Thos. B. Carroll	Professional services	
B. F. Mitchell Co.	Feed	
Blackwood Coal and Coke Co.	Coal—W. & S.	
Carolina Cut Stone Co.	Stone	
N. C. Richardson Sons	Pay roll	
C. H. White	Notes paid	
American National Bank	Notes paid	
Jno. H. Whiteman	Hauling brick	
Jno. J. Furlong	Hauling brick	
Wilmington Iron Works	Brooms	
Southern Bell Tel. Co.	Repairs and supplies	
Standard Supply Co.	Telephone service	
C. W. Yates & Co.	Supplies—W. & S.	
U. S. Mortgage and Trust Co.	Feed	
Springer Coal Co.	Coupon—Commission	
H. L. Fennell	Coal—W. & S.	
A. D. Brown	Auto supplies—Police	
W. Smith Mfg. Co.	Repeating clock—W. & S.	
Harris T. W. Co.	Supplies—W. & S.	
H. R. Worthington	Copy work	
H. Mueller Mfg. Co.	Pump repairs—W. & S.	
C. W. Yates & Co.	Supplies—W. & S.	
C. W. Polvogt Co.	Design—General	
Harrison Bros. & Co.	Draping fire house	
Pomona Terra Cotta Co.	Supplies	
Lytle Livory Co.	Pipe—W. & S.	
N. C. Williams	Livestock	
J. H. Boatwright & Son	Detectives	
Capps-Griffith Co.	Insurance	
T. W. Callahan	Plumbing	
Wilmington Lumber Co.	Repeating pump	
Hodges Bros. & Co.	Chlorine—W. & S.	
Cape Fear Machine Wks.	Repair work	
Builders' Supply Co.	Repairs and supplies	
LeGriffin Printing Co.	Pipe—W. & S.	
N. Jacob Hdwr. Co.	Printing	
Hilton Lumber Co.	Street broma	
W. B. Thorpe & Co.	Supplies	
Neptune Meter Co.	Lumber—W. & S.	
Glaumorgan Pipe and Foundry Co.	Cement—W. & S.	
	Supplies—W. & S.	
	Supplies—W. & S.	

PLAN TO HOLD COTTON UP TO THIRTEEN CENTS

Pledge Farmers to Keep Two- Thirds Off the Market.

Charlotte Man Advocates Farmers Storing Much of Crop on Their Own Premises—Mecklenburg Sends Delegates to Raleigh.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 29.—At a second mass meeting at the court house today—one having been held last Saturday—to consider means for preventing a rush of cotton to the market in the face of present and expected low prices, a committee of five men from Mecklenburg were appointed to go to Raleigh next Tuesday to attend the meeting called by Governor Craig for the same purpose.

After hearing reports from W. C. Crosby and Stuart Cramer, who attended the conference with Secretary McAdoo at Washington last Monday, the meeting, headed with interest, a plan suggested by E. M. Cole, of Charlotte, for keeping up the price of cotton to 13 cents per pound by signing pledges to keep at least two-thirds of it off the market.

He suggested further, that, instead of bonded warehouses being hurriedly improved with the expectation of having such warehouse receipts a basis for advance of money, the farmer make facilities on his own premises for storing his cotton, his contention being that where cotton was stored on small detached lots, that chance of loss by fire and otherwise was less and more bankers would be willing to advance at least a part of the value on the staple thus handled.

The meeting went on record as believing the plan was feasible, and worthy of being worked out in detail. It will be explained to the Raleigh meeting Tuesday. Those appointed to represent Mecklenburg at the Raleigh meeting were E. M. Cole, H. K. Reid, C. C. Hook, W. R. Lee and T. M. McConnell.

OPEN SEASON ON QUAIL

Begins in New Hanover County November 15th.

Recent articles carried by the local press, relative to the Federal law establishing open and closed seasons on the various game birds, were incorrect in stating that the open season on quail in North Carolina, as fixed by the Federal law, was from September 1st to December 1st.

Quail are non-migratory birds, and therefore do not come under the Federal law. The open and closed season on quail in North Carolina is fixed by State law, or by special laws for many of the counties. The open season in New Hanover begins November 15th, and it is a violation of the law to shoot quail before that time.

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FOR SALE—NORTH FRONT STREET home, located between Nixon and Taylor, lot 38x130 feet, five room house. Price \$1600.00, only small amount of cash required. Good home or investment. Apply to Wilder & Metts, Agents. au30-1t

FOR SALE—FIVE ROOM COTTAGE, good size lot, located on Eight between Dock and Orange streets, modern improvements. Price \$1700.00, \$250.00 cash will turn deal. Apply to Wilder and Metts, Agents. au30-1t

MAHOGANY MANTELS AT HALF price. Tiles given free with any mantel marked over \$25. The New Mantel and Tile Shop, 210 South Front street, J. F. McVey. au30-1t

WANTED—500 PALM BEACH SUITS to be secured and pressed for 50 cents each. American Practical Hatter and Tailor, 128 Market street. Phone 418-W. au30-1t

FOR RENT—UPSTAIRS OVER STORE 118 Market street, containing 17 rooms, 8x12, remodeled. Apply to C. H. Fore. au30-1t

WE HAVE FOR SALE, A HOME AT Carolina Place which we believe to be the best bargain ever sold in that Suburb. It will pay you to investigate this. James and James, Inc., Southern Bldg., phone 163. au30-1t

A FEW HUNDRED DOLLARS DOWN the balance through Building & Loan, buys an attractive Bungalow home on South 4th, street, near New School. Phone James and James, Inc., early Monday. Phone 163. au30-1t

SPECIAL NOTICE TO PARENTS AND Guardians, we will allow a discount of 15 per cent on all schoolbooks purchased between now and Sept. 10th. Our Fall term begins Wednesday, Sept. 2nd. Southern Shortland and Business University, 217 and 219 North Front street. au30-1tpd

\$25 REWARD TO ANY PERSON WHO can prove that we do not occur and press Palm Beach suits for 50 cents. American Practical Hatter and Tailor, 128 Market street, Phone 418-W. au30-1t

PRINTING PRESS FOR SALE, SIZE 6x9, with complete equipment for job work in excellent condition. Will sell for \$35 cash. Apply to R. D. Christman, with Wilmington Stamp and Printing Co. au30-2t

TUTORING—Frances M. Henshaw, College preparatory and other work. 118 North Eighth street. Telephone 1104-W. au30-2t

16 PER CENT INVESTMENT IN GOOD renting property. A good bargain. Will help you to finance the deal. See James and James, Inc., Insurance and Real Estate, Southern Bldg., Phone 163. au30-1t

WE HAVE ANOTHER CAR LOAD OF Alabama long leaf heart porch flooring on the way. Let us book your order. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. au30-1t

UPTOWN OFFICE IN THE CAROLINA Apartment House, Market and Fifth streets, suitable for doctor, dentist, osteopath or any office work. Several hundred people pass into this building each day and many additional hundred pass this corner. Rent very reasonable to desirable party. J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate Agents. au30-2t

WANTED—CIGAR SALESMAN TO man cigar N. C. stage line on new and exceptional terms. Vacancy now. Attractive commission contract. \$35 weekly for expenses. Miles F. Blizler Co., 198-85 Carlin Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio. au30-1t

THOUSANDS GOVERNMENT JOBS open to men and women yearly. \$85 to \$150 a month. Common education sufficient. Write immediately for list of positions open to you. Franklin Institute, Dept. 297-R, Rochester, N. Y. au30-2t

COLORED MAN OR WOMAN UNDER 50 wanted. No experience needed. \$100 month. Write quick. Box 4-409, Cincinnati, Ohio. au30-1t

COTTAGE—FIVE ROOMS, NICELY papered and screened, near car line. Good yard, possession Sept. 1st. P. O. Box 541, City. au30-1t

SALEMAN—CAPABLE SPECIALTY man for N. C. stage line on new and exceptional terms. Vacancy now. Attractive commission contract. \$35 weekly for expenses. Miles F. Blizler Co., 198-85 Carlin Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio. au30-1t

CAPE FEAR OIL CO. STOCK FOR sale. Five shares of this high-grade stock for sale. Book value around \$200. Cash offers wanted. P. O. Box 92. au30-1t

FOR RENT—TWO OR THREE UN- furnished rooms with bath. Gas and electric light, on car line. Positively no children. 417 South Sixth street. au30-1t

BOARDERS WANTED BY THE DAY, week, month or the year. Electric lights, all modern conveniences. Centrally located. Rates reasonable. House newly renovated; everything new. 218 North Second street. au30-1t

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS, Turkish chair, butler's stand, bird's eye maple furniture. Phone 1605-W. au30-1t

FOR SALE—A 1914 MODEL T FORD Touring car. First class condition. Only car in town equipped with accessories, electric lights, electric horn. Will sell at a reasonable price if taken at once, as only reason for selling is need larger car and had chance of getting one. If interested, call mean business address P. O. Box 697, City. au30-1t

BUSINESS MEN—YOU CAN SAVE time, annoyance and expense by applying to us when you want a competent stenographer, bookkeeper, or office assistant. Southern Shortland and Business University, 217 and 219 North Front street. au30-1t

LOST—A POODLE DOG, DARK GREY. Reward will be paid when returned to Independent Ice Co. au30-1t

FOR RENT—SEPARATELY OR AS apartment, 5 rooms newly plastered. Electric lights, both, southern and western exposure. Price reasonable. 118 North Third street. Apply on premises. au30-1t

BOARDERS DESIRING THE BEST the market affords and all conveniences, reasonable, apply 401 Chestnut street. Phone 1286-W. au30-1t

FOR RENT—THAT PART OF SOUTH- ern Hotel over Hewlett & Price's for rent. Possession given October 1st. Can make arrangements to rent furnished. For full particulars, apply to James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. au30-1t

TO UCAN BUY 10 ACRES OF LAND, with a four-room house, situated on the highest bluff on the river, between Wilmington and the ocean. Only three and a half miles from the city and accessible to the Federal Point road. This is a bargain. See J. Franklin Smith, with James and James, Inc. au30-1t

FOR RENT—COUPLE OF NICELY furnished rooms. Modern conveniences. One block from postoffice. Phone 773, 216 N. Second street. au30-1t

STORES FOR RENT—SPRINGER building, corner Water and Grace, track facilities; 11 Princess, corner Water and Grace, North Building; 8 Grace street, corner Fourth and Church; 750 Weaver, store and house; and others. L. W. Moore, Agent, 123 Princess street. au30-1t

FOR RENT—A MODERN TWO-STORY six-room dwelling on Ann street, between Fifth and Sixth. Possession given October 1st. W. G. Whitehead, phones 229-J and 408-J. au30-1t

HAVE ON FEDERAL POINT ROAD, within half mile of car line, 14 acres land, splendid 6-room cottage, with barn, stables, etc. Only small amount cash, balance good terms. L. W. Moore, Real Estate Agent, can give you full information. au30-1t

40 ACRES LAND MIDDLE SOUND section; 20 acres cleared, timber and woods land, both sides hard road and faces sound. Well located for stock or general farming. Telephone 332 for full information. L. W. Moore, Real Estate Agent, 123 Princess street. au30-1t

THE WARD TRACT, MARKET road, will be cut to suit you. Secure your suburban residence. This is cheap now. L. W. Moore, Real Estate, 123 Princess. au30-1t

HAVE NICE MODERN COTTAGE ON Fifth street near Nun. Can offer at price that will make you want to own that cottage. Ask Moore's Real Estate Agency, 123 Princess street. au30-1t

WANTED—EITHER SUBSTITUTE OR permanent employment as stenographer or bookkeeper. Am familiar with dictaphone. Address "Stenographer," P. O. Box 774. au30-1t

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APARTMENTS 103-5 NORTH SEV- enth, near Princess, that will be completed by October. Very attractive. Telephone 332, L. W. Moore, Real Estate Agent. au30-1t

WAXNESVILLE, N. C., DUNHAM House. In the heart of the mountains. A modern, homelike boarding house. Special September rates. Mrs. E. L. Deckard. au30-1t

SITUATION WANTED—LADY OF ability, education and refinement desires situation as housekeeper or to teach private or neighborhood school. Address Miss J. 2411 Kensington Avenue, Richmond, Va. au30-1t

FOR SALE—ONE AUTO DELIVERY wagon, only \$200. Apply to Machinery yard. Wilmington Iron Works. au30-1t

FOR RENT—HOUSE, SIX ROOMS AND bath, 515 Princess street. Also second floor 101 North Sixth street. Apply Mrs. E. Blensinger, corner Sixth and Princess. au30-2t

SALESMAN—TRAVELING, SALARY and expenses or commission; must be active, ambitious, energetic; splendid opportunity; former experience not essential. Landmark Cigar Co., Denver, Pa. au30-1t

TAKE A LOOK AT THE BEAVER Board in our office, 205 Princess street. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. au30-1t

MAKE MONEY WITH US, AMOUNT depends upon time devoted. No canvassing. Ambitious local man wanted. Address Ostrander, Dept. 248, 12 West 31st St., New York. au30-1t

WANTED—POSITION BY THOR- oughly experienced stenographer at once. First class references. "H. T. M." care Star. au30-1t

FOR SALE—A CARLOAD OF THE finest milk cows ever brought to Wilmington. Average 3 to 5 gallons of milk daily. H. L. Kidd, Phone 1032-J. au30-1t

WANTED—REPRESENTATIVE IN exclusive territory, for highly meritorious article which will appeal strongly to every business man. One salesman cleared over \$250 first week. Only small investment necessary. Write immediately for details. 321 Healey Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. au30-1t

FAIL TERM—DAY AND NIGHT school will begin Wednesday, September 2nd. Southern Shortland and Business University, 217 and 219 North Front street. au30-1t

BY SPENDING A FEW DOLLARS IN repairs, you may be able to get more rent from October 1st. Let us furnish the right kind of material. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. au30-1t

WORK FOR YOURSELF. MAKE money operating vending machines; full line, pennies count; small investment, large profits. Spare time, outdoor work. Perfection Automatic Machine Co., Easton, Pa. au30-1t

MOTORCYCLE FOR SALE—FOUR H. P. magneto, Eclipse clutch. \$60 cash will take it. Owner leaving city. May be seen at Hodges Bros. au30-1t

MIDDLE AGED REFINED WHITE lady desires position as housekeeper in small family or companion for invalid. "E. A. P." care Star. au30-1t

FRESH CUT FLOWERS AND FUNER- al designs. Homegrown asters 40 cents a dozen. Not connected with Mrs. L. P. Fowler, 202 Orange, Phone 779-W, 418 South Second street. au30-1t

ROOMS—TWO NICELY FURNISHED bedrooms with bath and southern exposure in private family, with no children. Box 541, City. au30-1t

FOR SALE—DESIRABLE PROPERTY on Meares street, between Front and Second. This section is rapidly increasing in value. See M. C. Darby & Co., Agents, 114 1-2 Princess street. au30-2t

C. R. NEAL, HEATING AND VENTIL- ating expert, now at Southern Hotel. Consult me if your heater or furnace is giving unsatisfactory service. Work guaranteed. au30-2t

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